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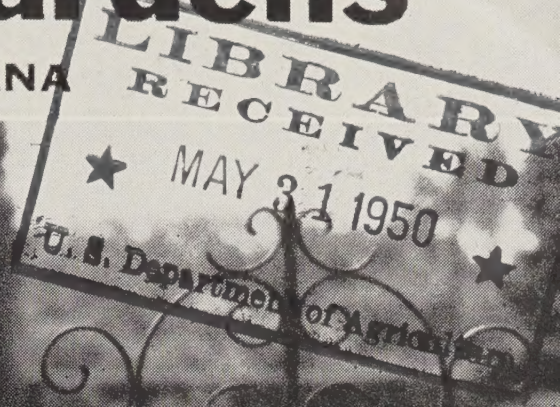
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# Edenwald Gardens

VINCENNES, INDIANA



*Iris-Daylily Catalog-1950*



*Count that day lost, we always say,  
Should some day come to an end.  
When we have failed to try to make  
Some customer a friend.  
It pleases us to please you, and  
However we're at fault,  
It can't be said we didn't try  
Believe us. . . . Ede and Walt*

#### **WHO GIVETH THIS CATALOG?**

This foreword, occupying first position in the catalog, but last to be written before going to press, is our final effort to tip the scale of your approval in favor of Edenwald Gardens. We feel a little like we did the day we got married—affectionate, but nervous and apprehensive. Did we blow ourselves up too high? Are we going to be able to make good on all those big promises we made? Are things going to be all right for us hereafter?

#### **FOR BETTER, FOR WORSE, FOR RICHER, FOR POORER**

Well, win or lose, this is it. Here in your hands is our bid for favor and our effort to make you Edenwald conscious as well as iris and daylily conscious. Whether you classify as a fancier, a novice or somewhere in between, we hope we have presented something of interest.

#### **THE VOICE OF EXPERIENCE**

We should like, first, to address a few words to the amateurs who receive this catalog. As you become better experienced and get past the colored-picture stage, likely you will gain in regard for our little booklet, easy to read and purposely designed to fit conveniently in the pocket, handbag or desk drawer. You will then also appreciate that the carefully restrained descriptions are the result of our desire to present the facts briefly and honestly and our reluctance to overwhelm you with words which might confuse rather than clarify. You should not read into these descriptions any lack of enthusiasm on our part, because of their brevity.

#### **BEST OF THE OLD, FINEST OF THE NEW**

You will appreciate too, that the wide range of selection which we feature, is for your benefit, not ours, since we could operate more profitably and more efficiently were our list condensed to those which propagate most easily. Because our plantings are extensive, it is seldom necessary to substitute for varieties sold out and we hold ourselves in readiness to serve you, from the beginning of our shipping season, about July first, until freezing weather.

#### **LIFE BEGAN IN THE GARDEN—REMEMBER?**

Increasingly greater numbers of amateurs are being attracted to flower gardening as an inexpensive, satisfying hobby. One which offers interesting pursuits for individuals of all types and ages. Under the pressure of everyday living in a tense age of atomic bombs and cold wars, gardening provides a form of relaxation and achievement absorbingly interesting as well as healthful to mind and body. Millions of new householders possessing comfortable, functional homes in suburban areas, are learning that they can extend the attraction and enjoyment of their modern environment by developing and beautifying the surrounding outdoor areas.

#### **PICTURE WINDOW ALSO NEEDS PICTURE**

Through the medium of nursery and seed catalogs, flower gardeners are offered their choice of many interesting and attractive plants. Some are nothing more than weeds collected from distant places, others are the product of selective breeding and hybridization. Few have reached the highly developed stage to which hundreds of enthusiastic hybridists have brought the modern iris, a process which is now under way also, for the daylily. These flowers can glamorize your garden as can no others which are, at the same time, so un-demanding in their cultural requirements.

#### **ABANDON HOPE, ALL YE WHO ENTER HERE**

If you have heretofore been indifferent to the appeal of gardening and decide to send us a trial order, we'd best warn you that you may as well abandon the hope of ever being normal again. There is a spring malady we call "iris virus" and a summer complaint termed "daylily daze" and either can be very upsetting to one not previously exposed. The early symptoms are a sensation of excited amazement, frequent hurried trips to the garden and once there, a disposition to dawdle; digging and scratching the ground at the most unseemly hours, (even on Sundays) and the ceaseless leafing through catalogs like this one. Later on the waist line is likely to reduce, breathing become less labored, color more healthful, eyes sparkling, and eating and sleeping easy. No more brooding about this and that and less indulgence in wasteful pursuits. Yes, very likely this passion for flowers will have profound after effects.



# EDENWALD GARDENS

## VINCENNES, INDIANA

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## BREATHING THE BREATH OF LIFE INTO YOUR GARDEN

We have a word of advice for old time gardeners too. Many gardens are more or less static. The same old perennials come up in the same old places. This year's garden was last year's garden. Once attractive, the garden picture becomes more stereotyped and uninteresting year by year, the while the soil becomes more depleted. We think your garden is a living thing and should be kept alive! It should feature new and thrilling plants each and every year! Dig up the outmoded and no longer interesting plants and discard them resolutely and with no regrets, the same as you would dispose of your wornout and outmoded garments or furnishings. They have paid for themselves in previous enjoyment many times over. Exercise your taste and discrimination outdoors as you would indoors. Chances are your garden is a much more exposed and critical reflection of these qualities than your boudoir or living room. Your garden deserves flowers of distinction and will command interest, respect and enjoyment in direct relation to their presence.

## FLOWERS OF DISTINCTION

How fortunate we got around to this "flowers of distinction" subject. Come to think about it that's what we were wanting to mention all along. We've got 'em! The pages of this catalog are crammed with them and at a price anyone can afford. Price depends on abundance or scarcity and not on beauty. Old fashioned law of supply and demand operates here. No parity prices, no government subsidies, no inflation. Our plants are grown expertly and with regard for their inherent vigor. This is the ninth annual edition of our catalog and we have had gratifyingly increased sales every year of our existence. We do not resort to a policy of cutting prices or slighting quality. Plants in our Collections are the same high standard that we sell individually. Our business is won on the old fashioned basis of fair pricing, high quality and conscientious service.

### 100 BEST IRIS. THE MEANING OF "fsje"

A feature of our catalog interesting to many, is the inclusion of information about the ranking 100 BEST iris. We couldn't present this data so completely were it not for the kind and unselfish cooperation of two of the nation's foremost dealers in irises and daylilies, Mrs. Thomas Nesmith of Fairmount Gardens, Lowell, Mass., and Mr. Robert Schreiner of Schreiner's Gardens, Salem, Oreg. Every experienced grower knows these dealers by reputation, if not personally. Eminent hybridists in their own right, they have introduced lovely irises of their own as well as those of others. There are no more competent judges of these flowers in all the world. For those which we catalog, we have designated their selections by appending a lower-case initial following the description—"f" for Fairmount Gardens, "s" for Schreiner's. In addition we have appended a "j" for the annual poll of judges of the American Iris Society, known as the Symposium. Initiated a number of years ago by the noted iris hybridist, Kenneth D. Smith, this poll is now compiled by Robert E. Allen, Registrar and Recorder for the Society. The fourth list is our own and is designated by the letter "e" for Edenwald.

### THE MISSES AMERICA OF 1950

So there you have it! Who's Who among the glamor gals of the iris world! Likely if you picked 'em yourself, there'd be still another list. It's like picking the All-American Football Team—so many good players left out that nobody is satisfied. Remember, no matter how conscientious one may be in these selections, lack of acquaintance with competing varieties, personal preferences, differences of climate, soil or season, and the human weakness of "following the crowd" may influence this selection.

## IN CONCLUSION

Be sure to read the special offer to new customers on the inside back cover. Also the other information contained there about ordering. It may avoid mistakes and unnecessary correspondence during our rush period.

Thanking you for your patronage, your great kindness in recommending us to others and for the "love letters," we remain

Sincerely,

**EDITH & WALTER BUSS**  
"Ede & Walt"

P. S. Why don't you come up and see us sometime? Our location is two miles northeast of Vincennes on State Road 67. Peak bloom for iris normally about May 15th; for daylilies, the first half of July. We'll be seeing you!

E. & W.



# 1950 IRIS INTRODUCTIONS

**BENEDICTION**—(W. E. Buss 1950) VL.39". "Benediction—a blessing at the close of worship," we thought this dictionary definition pleasingly analagous to the qualities of this satin-sleek, gracefully composed bluish-wine iris, which is the very last to bloom in our garden. A self of luminous coloring, difficult to place, too bluish for grape juice, seems to fall between 45L9 and 54A11, Dictionary of Color. The gracefully poised falls reflect a shadowy sheen and there is a narrow patch of rich magnetic blue extending beyond the beard, which is dull yellow, tipped blue. There are brown shoulders on the hafts and the styles are whitish with bluish rose ribs and crests. The substance is excellent with firm, stiff petals. The standards are erect, conical, ruffled; the pointed falls admirably arched and flaring. Size, average (about 5" tall, 6" spread), branching short but blooms uncrowded. Parentage: Orchid Lady x Vatican Purple. Photograph on back cover \$15.00



VISTA VERONICA

**VISTA VERONICA**—(W. E. Buss 1950) M.46". Broad-petalled, boldly proportioned self in the orchid-blue tone called "veronica." (43 H 9, Dictionary of Color). The wide ruffled standards are domed in form; the broadly rounded falls semi-flaring to flaring as the flower matures, slightly ruffled and of the same color as the standards. The entire flower has finely lacinated edges and has slightly crepey appearance due to the color being seemingly applied by a myriad network of subdued veins on a lighter ground. There are no conspicuous haft markings. The harmonious beard is tipped lavender and becomes yellowish deeper in the flower. The substance is extra good as is the branching. The flowers are approximately 5" tall and spread 8" when mature. Parentage: Blue Shimmer x Azure Skies. \$15.00

## WHAT CONSTITUTES A GOOD IRIS

For the benefit of those who are newly interesting themselves in iris, we repeat the following brief commentary on the qualities considered desirable in these flowers.

Color, altho the most important and most instantly appreciated quality, is not, by itself, the final measure of iris worth. Besides clarity or richness of color we want a bloom with good form and broad petals, the standards firm and held in closed position at the top, or nearly so, and in pleasing proportion to the falls, which may flare or droop, but which should not be strappy, narrow-waisted or pinched.

The bloom should be large enough to match the length of stem, which for tall-bearded iris should be thirty inches or more. A small flower on a tall stem looks "leggy" and a huge flower on a short stem looks "dumpy."

There are some exceptions to the thirty inch minimum requirement. These are now termed "border irises."

Stems should be branched so that the flowers do not crowd, and they should be strong enough to resist drooping from the weight of the flowers or toppling because of wind or weather. The texture of the petals is important too, and the substance should be tough and durable enough to withstand sun and wind and remain fresh-looking for a reasonable length of time. Colors should not fade too easily in the sun, nor spot too readily from drops of moisture.

The base or "haft" of the fall should not be discordantly colored or covered with coarse and ugly veining. When smoothly colored it is sometimes called a "quiet" or a "clean" haft.

Some irises are temperamental. To be generally acceptable an iris should perform well in different sections of the country and be winter-hardy. Unfortunately, some of the loveliest sorts originating in California are not hardy in Northern winters and some of the most beautiful varieties of the Middle West and East are complete failures in California. Quite frequently rhizomes from regions of wide seasonal differences will require time to adjust themselves before blooming.

Rhizomes which are well grown will be more likely to bloom the first year than those which are not well-grown because the bloom-stalk buds are formed during the previous growing season.



## IRIS LIST

**NOTE**—Name of the variety is followed by the name of the originator and the year of introduction. Season of bloom is indicated by the initials "E.", "M.", "L.", signifying early, midseason or late. Height is given in inches.

**ACADIA**—(Tompkins 1946) M.40". Heavy-substanted deep lemon, tall and well-branched. .... \$2.00

**ACE OF SPADES**—(Salbach 1941) M. 36". Large-flowered, rich deep purple. California origination not entirely hardy here. .... \$ .50

**ACTION FRONT**—(P. Cook 1942) M. 36". Big, bright, bold, copper-red beauty. .... \$1.00

**ADMIRAL NIMITZ**—(Graves 1948) M. 40". Large, crisp, pure white with gold beard, domed standards, semi-flaring falls, fine substance. fe ..... \$8.00

**ADMIRATION**—(K. Smith 1946) ML.38". A very excellent smooth medium yellow, large, broad-petalled and well-substanted. .... \$6.00

**AFAR**—(Lapham 1948) EM.34". Orange-sherbet toned pink garden highlight, which is noticed from afar. Medium large and vigorous. .... \$7.50

**ALADDIN'S WISH**—(Murawska 1945) M.36". Medium blue with brushings of cream. A large, tall and very distinct plicata. .... \$3.00

**ALASTOR**—(Spender 1940) E.M.36". Bright, deep pink with gold center. Eng. Silver Medal 1937 ..... \$ .60

**ALBA SUPERBA**—J. Sass 1943) M.38". Large flaring white which has been unreliable here. .... \$2.50

**ALDURA**—(Larsen 1942) M.34". A most beautiful plicata with sharp blue markings on a clean white ground. s. .... \$1.00

**ALICIA**—(Rawlins 1948) EM.40". This new light blue was recommended to us by critical, unbiased judges. Description:—large, broad-petalled, with margins crisply ruffled. A little lighter than Great Lakes. Flaring form. \$12.50

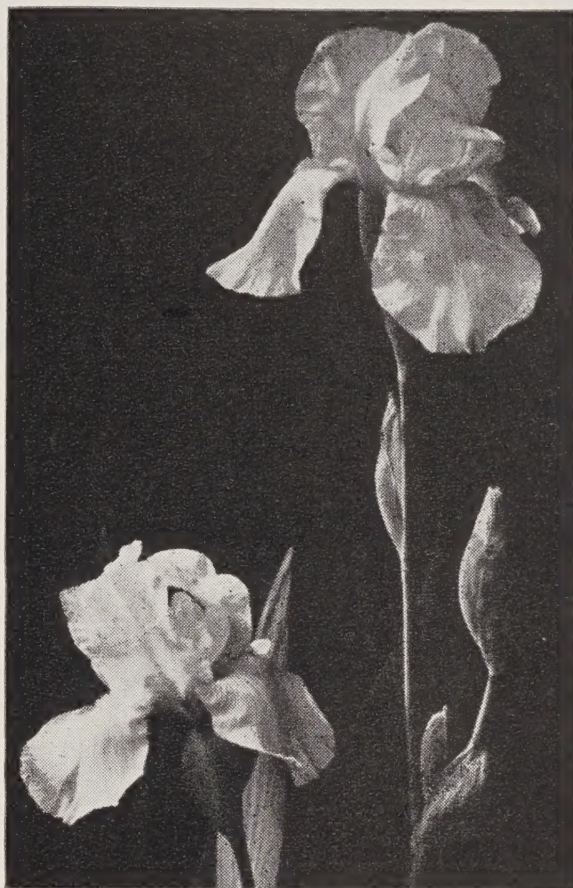
**ALINE**—(Stern 1934) M.36". Smooth enamel-like azure blue. Perfectly formed and very close to true blue. \$ .35

**ALLUMEUSE**—(Gage 1938) L.34". Pale violet standards; mahogany falls. Fiery orange beard. Brilliant and unusual color combination. .... \$ .50

**ALONA**—(Deforest 1945) M.36". Pink blend of China Maid coloring in a ruffled flower with horizontally-flaring falls. .... \$1.50

**ALPINE GLOW**—(Kleinsorge 1945) L. 40". Soft, smooth, lilac-rose with brown shading on hafts and gold beard. \$2.00

**ALZA HOLA**—(Snyder 1941) M.38". Large-flowered, soft powder-blue blended and bordered with gold \$ .75



AMANDINE

**AMANDINE**—(G. Douglas 1946) ML.34". Pale cream with just a flush of lemon. Exquisitely beautiful, symmetrical flower; delicately colored, delightfully ruffled and firmly substanted withal. fsje ..... \$7.50

**AMBER GEM**—(Salbach 1946) M.36". Golden-brown standards, large broad falls of bright chestnut brown. A Californian on trial for hardiness here. \$5.00

**AMIGO**—(Williamson 1934) M.30". Light lavender standards brilliantly contrasted with deep, velvety, violet falls. A color gem. fsje ..... \$ .50

**AMITOLA**—(H. P. Sass 1936) M.38". Smooth blend of pink, rose, and gold. Lightly ruffled, large flower. .... \$ .35

**ANNA GAGE**—(Gage 1941) EM.36". Large, well-substanted, semi-flaring deep rose by the originator of Gloriette and Rosy Wings. .... \$ .60

**ANCHORAGE**—(Grant 1940) EM.36". Lustrous blend of strawberry and garnet which blooms early. .... \$ .50





ARGUS PHEASANT

**AND THOU**—(Graves 1942) M.40". Very pale blue flushed deeper toward the center and accented by the bluish beard. Large flower of heavy substance. .... \$1.00

**ANNA WILLIAMSON**—(Cook 1946). A lovely, bright, and distinct pink blend of two tones. The rosy pink flowers are broad-petalled and well-substanted. .... \$3.00

**ANGELUS**—(Egelberg 1937) L.36". Creamy lavender-pink. A distinct and beautiful color in a large, broad-petalled flower of heavy substance, blooming late. .... \$ .50

**ANITRA**—(H. Sass 1935) M.35". Pure, silvery, light sky-blue of great size and beautiful form. A pale but intense blue, particularly noticeable in late afternoon or early evening. .... \$ .40

**ANNE-MARIE CAYEUX**—(Cayeux 1928) M.34". Metallic gray-blue-lilac, suggestive of the colors on a pigeon's throat. .... \$ .35

**ANNE NEWHARD**—(Wiesner 1940) L.38". Hyacinth-blue standards very effectively contrasted with the deep, velvety, blue-purple, flaring falls. A little-known but "quality" iris. .... \$ .75

**APEX**—(Tompkins 1947) M.36". Bright Bordeaux-red self, large and broad-petalled, well-formed and smoothly textured. .... \$15.00

**APHRA**—(Salbach 1941) M.48". A Jean Cayeux type but much larger, taller and lighter colored. .... \$ .50

**ARAB CHIEF**—(Whiting 1944) L.36". Flashy, rich henna-tan in the color class of Bryce Canyon and Casa Morana. Large, tall and late. sj ..... \$2.00

**ARCTIC**—(Kleinsorge 1940) M.40". Smoothly-enamelled, creamy white with bright-yellow heart. Ruffled, closed standards and broad falls. \$ .50

**ARETHUSA**—(Gage 1940) M.40". A lovely deep-pink color (called Daphne red) that fades in the sun, but is such a bright shade and such a tall and vigorous grower, that it never lacks admirers. .... \$ .40

**ARGUS PHEASANT**—(DeForest 1948) ML.36". Large, smooth, bright golden Argus brown, a shade near cocoa, with self colored beard. Striking and unusual. sje ..... \$18.00

**AT DAWNING**—(Kirkland 1935) E.35". Pale-pink standards; rose-pink falls, attractive two-tone pink with yellow center. .... \$ .35

**AUBANEL**—(Cayeux 1935) M.36". Large, glistening, heliotrope-tinted shrimp pink flushed yellow at the heart. \$ .60

**AUBURN**—(Kleinsorge 1945) E.36". Coppery henna-brown with a brilliant patch of blue in the center of each fall. Large and richly colored. .... \$7.50

**AURORA DAWN**—(Whiting 1948) M.40". Brilliant rose-pink and gold blend. .... \$3.00

**AUTUMN FLAME**—(H. Sass 1941) E.34". Big, tall, bright red-purple that wants to repeat in the fall. .... \$1.00

**AUTUMN LEAF**—(Milliken 1945) M.40". Tall, vigorous, brown between cinnamon and sepia. California origination of questionable hardiness. .... \$1.00

**AUTUMN SUNSET**—(Lapham 1939) E.34". Beautiful large-flowered blend of gold, rose, and lilac, tall and well-substanted. Inclined to repeat in the fall. .... \$ .75

**AVONDALE**—H. Sass 1934) M.33". Subdued strawberry-rose with yellow heart. .... \$ .35

**AZTEC COPPER**—(Kleinsorge 1939) M.36". Subtle blend of smokey violet and soft copper. Large, well-substanted flowers on well-branched stems. \$ .50



AZTEC INDIAN



**AZTEC INDIAN**—(W. E. Buss 1949) EM. 38". Large, blended variegata, very bright and colorful. Ruffled, domed standards are tan yellow with soft reddish suffusion and overlay of sparkling iridescence. Semi-flaring falls are rich brown-red and velvety. Substance, stalk, branching, floriferousness, and vigor all satisfactory. .... \$15.00

**AZURE SKIES**—(Pattison 1943) M.36". Airily ruffled pale lavender-blue with firm, domed standards and widely flaring falls. Substance and branching are excellent. A quality iris. fsj....\$1.25

**BACHELOR GIRL**—(Callis 1941) L.30". White plicata, pencilled old-rose. Sweet pea fragrance. Beautiful color but flowers bunch. .... \$ .50

**BAGHDAD**—(Whiting 1945) ML.34". Very colorful wax yellow with smooth overlay of pure brass on the falls. Intense metallic color with durable substance. .... \$6.00

**BALMUNG**—(H. Sass 1939) ML.38". Especially fine yellow plicata with clear brown markings. Large, broad-petalled, well-formed flowers. .... \$ .75

**BANDED BEAUTY**—(H. Sass 1948) ML. 36". Clean yellow-ground plicata, the falls heavily edged red-brown. Rich color, good form and size. .... \$10.00

**BAND MASTER**—(Hall 1944) M.38". Very large and very blue in a sky-blue shade. Good form, substance, stem and branching and a vigorous grower. sje —\$2.00

**BELMONT**—(T. Williams 1938) L.38". Clear dark medium blue of great purity. Large, frilled and semi-flaring. \$ .50

**BENEDICTION**—(W. E. Buss 1950) See 1950 introductions.

**BERKELEY GOLD**—(Salbach 1942) ML. 36". Very rich deep yellow and one of the top rankers in this color. Good size and form and heavy substance. fsje \$1.00

**BERMUDA SAND**—(Hall 1939) M.36". Cream-in-coffee tan with golden glint. Heavily ruffled, deeper colored and larger than Jean Cayeux. .... \$1.00

**BERTHA GERSDORFF**—(J. Sass 1942) M.32". Standards are yellow flushed pink. Falls, yellow flushed pinkish purple. Colors are marbled rather than blended, a sort of Moonlit Sea done in pink. .... \$1.00

**BLACK BANNER**—(Nicholls 1947) Intensely colored near black, sleek and velvety, with nearly solid hafts. fe \$2.50

**BLACK FOREST**—(Schreiner 1945) M. 30". The "blackest" iris. Not large nor tall, its crisp, flaring form and glistening blue-black color sets it apart. fsj \$3.50

**BLACK & GOLD**—(Kleinsorge 1943) M. 36". Gold standards and blackish-maroon falls in striking contrast. Good substance. .... \$1.00

**BLACK WINGS**—(Kirkland 1930) M.34". Dark and lustrous in deep midnight blue with frosty black sheen..... \$ .35

**BLUE CROWN**—(Washington 1945) M. 36". Heavily substantced and well-formed flowers with pale blue standards and pure white falls, with frosty sheen over all. A fascinating, fragrant iris. .... \$2.00

**BLUE FRILLS**—(Stephenson 1946) Rich, glossy, deep azure blue. Heavysustanced, roundly-formed flowers of exceptionally beautiful color. fs \$3.00

**BLUE GLOW**—(Nicholls 1945) ML.36". Rich deep blue, smooth and lustrous with intriguing brown shoulders to add distinction. Large and fine. s \$3.50

**BLUE MONARCH**—(J. Sass 1933) M. 38". Tall, stately and very reliable light blue, rivalling Shining Waters and hardier. .... \$ .35

**BLUE PETER**—(C. G. White 1936) L. 35". Velvety blue-purple in a vivid dark shade. .... \$ .40

**BLUE RHYTHM**—(Whiting 1945) ML. 38". A cornflower blue of great purity. About the bluest of all in this shade. Wide domed standards and semi-flaring falls with clean broad hafts and exceptional substance. fsje .... \$4.00

**BLUE SHIMMER**—(J. Sass 1942) M.38". This is tops in white and blue plicatas. Large, crisp, white ground flowers, peppered in a purer shade of blue than any other blue-marked plicata. Peppered not button-hole stitched as ordinary. sje .... \$1.50

**BLUE SPIRE**—(Milliken 1938) M.42". Tall, stately light medium blue, of great appeal. Like many California varieties, this is not reliably hardy here. .... \$ .75

**BLUE TRIUMPH**—(Grinter 1942) ML. 40". Large, glossy light blue of good substance. .... \$ .35



BLUE RHYTHM





BLUE SHIMMER

**BLUE VALLEY**—(K. Smith 1947) ML. 40". Closest approach to true medium blue, large, broad-petalled and delightfully ruffled. A superior iris of great charm. fsje ..... \$10.00

**BLUE VELVET**—(Loomis 1929) Velvety dark blue with orange beard. .... \$ .35

**BLUE ZENITH**—(Whiting 1942) M.40". Lightly ruffled deep sky blue. Large vigorous, hardy and distinctive.... \$ .75

**BOLD VENTURE**—(Nesmith 1948) L. 38". Pale rose conical standards; semi-flaring, deep rosaline-purple falls. Well-substanced. .... \$7.00

**BOMBAY**—(Hamilton 1943) M.36". Bright, clear yellow standards and bright coppery-maroon falls. One of the most attractive variegatas. .... \$ .50

**BONSOR**—(Connell 1938) L.38". Silky deep blue, exceptionally smooth and rich. Pure, brilliant aniline blue not equalled by any other. .... \$ .50

**BONNY**—(Lapham 1948) M.36". Medium sized, smooth, cloudy pink sea-shell with tangerine beard and leathery substance. .... \$3.00

**BRIARWOOD**—(Hall 1947) M.36". Lovely pink and yellow blend, soft and smooth. Deeper in tone than Remembrance. Large flowered and well-substanced with study stalk. Excellent. e ..... \$2.00

**BRIGHT MELODY**—Snyder 1942) M. 34". Rich reddish grape color with chestnut haft and metallic sheen. Unique and attractive. .... \$1.50

**BRILLIANT AMBER**—(Salbach 1947) M.40". Pinkish amber standards, bright golden brown falls with deeper veining. Large and semi-flaring..... \$5.00

**BRONZE BROCADE**—(Nesmith 1948) ML.38". Domed broad standards of bronzy red; brown, semi-flaring, ruffled falls. A darker band of ginger-brown borders both. Well-substanced and well-branched. f ..... \$15.00

**BRONZINO**—(Salbach 1937) M.36". Standards, frosty golden bronze. Falls, rich coppery bronze. .... \$ .50

**BROWN BOY**—(Salbach 1940) M.32". Coppery orange standards, brownish orange falls. A lively brown of medium size. .... \$ .50

**BROWN THRASHER**—(Kirkland 1941) M.34". A brilliant two-toned brown glistening with metallic iridescence. True brown shades found in no other iris. .... \$1.25

**BRUNHILDE**—(Salbach 1934) M.36". Dark, rich, violet-blue self with blue beard, widely flaring form, and good branching. Very fine. .... \$ .50

**BRYCE CANYON**—(Kleinsorge 1944) M.36". Distinct, warm shade of henna-copper. fsj ..... \$3.50

**BUCKSKIN**—(Kleinsorge 1939) ML.36". Large, golden tan of firm substance and flaring falls. Good companion to blues. .... \$ .40

**BUFFAWN**—(Andrews 1940) M.34". Soft pinkish buff set off with brilliant tangerine beard. A color gem. .... \$ .50



BLUE VALLEY



- BURGUNDY ROSE**—(Hall 1946) M.35". Large, ruffled dark amethyst of very striking shade. Vigorous and free-blooming. .... \$3.00
- BURMESE GOLD**—(Whiting 1945) M. 35". Smooth blend of deep yellow, pink, apricot and gold with central glow. Ruffled and graceful. Branching not wide. .... \$3.00
- BUTTERCUP LANE**—(Hall 1941) M.30". Beautifully ruffled deep yellow adapted to foreground planting. .... \$ .50
- CAHOKIA**—(Faught 1948) ML.40". Lovely light blue of exceptional purity, elegantly formed and substanded. se ..... \$17.50
- CALIFORNIA GOLD**—(Mitchell 1933) Intense, somewhat metallic yellow, large and free-blooming. One of the best in its price class. .... \$ .35
- CALIFORNIA PEACH**—(Salbach 1941) EM.38". Blend of peach pink and apricot enlivened by a hint of blue in center of falls. .... \$ .50
- CALIFORNIA ROSE**—(Salbach 1947) M.36". Very large pure old rose, well-formed and thick-substanded. s.... \$5.00
- CAMEROUN**—(Cayeux 1938) M.36". Huge, velvety blackish purple with broad falls and glossy sheen. s .... \$1.00
- CAMPANULA**—(Tompkins 1948) ML.37". Large smooth campanula-blue of excellent form and substance. .... \$10.00
- CAMPFIRE GLOW**—(Whiting 1947) ML.36". Deep but glowing coppery red of metallic sheen, without haft markings. Medium sized broad petalled one-toned flower even to the beard. s. .... \$15.00
- CAPE BON**—(Tompkins 1945) ML.38". Richly blended brown with glowing copper undertone. Large and thick-substanded. Good. .... \$10.00
- CAPTAIN WELLS**—(Cook 1941) ML.30". Deep glossy maroon-purple with subdued beard and no haft markings. One of the richest and darkest colors. j ..... \$1.00
- CAPRICCIO**—(DeForest 1942) M.40". Standards, yellow and crinkled; falls yellow, overlaid with onion-skin pink. .... \$1.00
- CAROLINE BURR**—(Smith 1940) ML. 40". Large-flowered frosty ivory overlaid with palest chartreuse. Semi-flaring and very vigorous. .... \$1.00
- CAROUSEL**—(G. Douglas 1948) M.42". Colorful medley of magenta, violet and gold, the general effect of which is bright lavender-rose. Orange beard. Large, smooth, well-substanded and tall. f ..... \$6.00
- CASA MORENA**—(DeForest 1943) M.34". Extra large, glistening henna-brown self. Striking and unusual color. sje ..... \$2.00
- CASCADE SPLENDOR**—(Kleinsorge 1945) M.38". Large, ruffled, tan-apricot blend. fsje ..... \$3.50
- CASTALIA**—(Wmsn. 1933) M.34". Very near true blue in a medium light shade. .... \$ .35
- CATHEDRAL DOME**—(Nesmith 1936) M.38". Free-blooming warm white with ruffled, domed standards and arched, flaring falls. .... \$ .50
- CHAMOIS**—(Kleinsorge 1944) Pure chamois self, soft and satiny. Very large and gracefully waved. fsj.... \$5.00
- CHANSONETTE**—(Tompkins 1948) M. 38". Frosty light orchid-lilac enlivened with a touch of lemon at the throat. Charming form with broad domed standards and full flaring falls. \$12.50
- CHANTILLY**—(Hall 1945) M.36". Lovely, orchid-pink with the edges of both standards and falls so heavily crimped as to appear edged with lace. je.... \$3.50
- CHARLIE GERSDORFF**—(Lapham 1948) M.36". Fiery two-toned orange-red, actually a blend altho the more orange standards do suggest a variegata. .... \$5.00
- CHARLOTTE MILLET**—Cayeux 1937) L.36". Reddish lilac with pale blue flush on the falls and deep brown flush on hafts. French iris of unusual coloring. Not reliably hardy here..... \$ .40
- CHARM**—(Mitchell 1937) L.34". Attractive shade of strawberry red..... \$ .50
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CAROLINE BURR





CHERIE

**CHERIE**—(Hall 1947) M.34". Flamingo pink with deep tangerine beard, full-bodied and ruffled. A beautiful pink, fine in every way. fsje ..... \$18.00

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**CHIVALRY**—(J. Wills 1944) M.36". Very fine medium blue, deeper than GREAT LAKES, with exceptional substance. Large domed standards; broad-hafted, firm and flaring falls, both ruffled at the edge; well-branched and vigorous. Dykes Medal 1947. fsje ..... \$7.50

**CHI-YUN**—(DeForest 1947) M.33". Smooth large white with white beard. Broad petalled and heavy substanded. \$3.00

**CHOIR BOY**—(Schreiner 1947) L.32". Milk-white standards; deep blue-purple falls. Medium sized and late. \$2.00

**CHRISTABEL**—(Lapham 1936) M.36". Excellent, coppery red, very effective in the garden. A great favorite. sj. \$ .50

**CIGARETTE**—(Brehm 1946) M.38". Pongee-cream, a first step in the direction of true milk-cream color. .... \$2.00

**CITY OF LINCOLN**—(H. Sass 1937) L. 40". Acknowledged king of the variegatas. Rich golden yellow standards. Bright, velvety red falls. Flashy color contrast, sj ..... \$ .50

**CLARA NOYES**—(H. Sass 1931) M.30". Tones of yellow, orange, apricot. Fascinating color which gets full share of attention from garden visitors. .... \$ .35

**CLARET VELVET**—(Weed 1940) M.32". Deep wine with flaring velvety falls for front planting. .... \$ .40

**CLARIBEL**—(J. Sass 1936) M.40". White plicata with blue stitching. Large-flowered and vigorous. .... \$ .35

**CLOTH OF GOLD**—(Whiting 1945) M. 36". Brilliant deep yellow self from Golden Hind X Golden Spike. Wide, full flowers with semi-flaring falls. sj \$2.00

**CLOUD CASTLE**—(Graves 1944) M.37". Exquisite pale wistaria blue, large ruffled, broad and flaring, with an indefinable charm. fje ..... \$3.00

**COCK ROBIN**—(Hall 1947) M.36". Tan-gold standards; brown-red falls. Brilliant variegata, free blooming, with good substance, stems and branching. \$3.00

**COLOR SARGENT**—(H. F. Hall 1948) ML.38". Vigorous blended red of antique ruby and malaga, domed and flaring. Large, strongly substanded and non-fading. f ..... \$10.00

**COPPERCLAD**—(Tompkins 1949) M.36". Orange-toned copper self with no venation. Sleek finish and flaring form. \$4.00

**COPPER CRYSTAL**—(Wash. 1938) ML. 38". Domed standards of tawny brown. Falls same overlaid with brownish red. \$ .50

**COPPER LUSTRE**—(Kirkland 1934) M. 36". A copper-toned iris overlaid with sparkling golden iridescence. An iris milestone. Dykes Medal 1938..... \$ .50



CHIVALRY





CLOUD CASTLE

- COPPER PINK**—(Kellogg 1941) M.38". Luscious soft pink blend with coppery suffusion at the hafts, blue shadings on the midrib and style arms and orange-brown beard. Perhaps the pinkest blend. A fine companion to Caroline Burr. .... \$ .75
- COPPER RIVER**—(DeForest 1945) M.36". Flaring, slightly ruffled flower of glistening tan, falls overlaid new-penny copper. Brilliant. .... \$4.00
- COPPER ROSE**—(Cook 1941) M.38". Smoothly blended old rose, tan and copper with golden center. Standards between buff pink and Japan rose. Falls between terra cotta and ocher red. Broad petals. .... \$1.00
- CORAL MIST**—(Grant 1941) M.38". Pink standards, deeper coral-pink falls, cinnamon flush. Garden effect is pink. Flaring form and wide branching. \$1.00
- CORDOVAN**—(Kleinsorge 1946) M.36". Coppery ox-blood seedling of Bryce Canyon, bold and well-branched. Finely netted hafts on ruffled falls. j \$2.50
- CORITICA**—(H. Sass 1942) M.30". Clear yellow-ground plicata with restrained markings of rich brown. The poorest grower of the yellow plicatas here. Very highly praised in the north. \$1.00
- CORNFLOWER**—(Whiting 1948) ML.36". Medium-sized silky blue, near cornflower. Darker and bluer than Great Lakes, domed and flaring in form. .... \$3.00
- CORONADO**—(Tompkins 1945) M.38". Intense yellow of unusual flaring form, rare in yellows. Large, broad-petalled and well-substanced. .... \$2.00
- CORONET**—(Hall 1938) ML.34". Soft golden rose beige self. Jean Cayeux seedling with nicely formed, lustrous blooms. .... \$ .35

- COURS LA REINE**—(Cayeux 1938) M.34". Blended gold standards and flaring falls of clear lavender, edged gold. .... \$ .50
- COURTIER**—(Hall 1947) M.30". Deeply colored flamingo pink with prominent deep tangerine beard. Outstanding color gem. f ..... \$6.00
- CROWN PRINCE**—(Kleinsorge 1932) M.38". Metallic yellow standards. Deep velvety maroon falls. Dark-toned variegata. .... \$ .35
- CRYSTAL BEAUTY**—(J. Sass 1935) M.48". One of the tallest pure whites. Vigorous, graceful and hardy. Fine for backgrounds. .... \$ .35
- CUBAN CARNIVAL**—(Sass Bros. 1948) M.34". Reddish purple with yellow heart extending into both standards and falls. Medium-sized flower of striking individuality. e ..... \$5.00
- DAFFY**—(DeForest 1947) M.36". Cream-white plicata with maroon-flushed standards and variably peppered and striped falls. Odd.. .... \$3.00
- DAMERINE**—(Gage 1939) M.36". Large deep red with domed standards and flaring falls. .... \$ .50
- DANUBE WAVE**—(Schreiner 1947) M.38". Remarkably blue in a medium shade of rich marine, outstanding in quality and depth of coloring. Well-substanced and well-branched. fs \$5.00
- DAUNTLESS**—(Connell 1929) M.40". One-time best "red," this purplish red Dykes Medal winner of 1929 ranks, for general all around goodness, as one of the best irises of all time. .... \$ .35
- DAYBREAK**—(Kleinsorge 1941) M.40". Blend of pink and gold with flaring falls and a suggestion of ruffling, it is one of the finer pink blends. j .... \$1.25
- DEEP VELVET**—(Salbach 1939) M.36". Glistening red-violet, shading to frosty claret brown at the hafts, this large iris with broad semi-flaring falls is one of the best. je ..... \$ .75
- DEPUTE NOMBLLOT**—(Cayeux 1929) ML.38". Standards, rosy purple flushed bronze. Falls, rich claret-crimson. Dykes Medal, France, 1930. .... \$ .35
- DESERET**—(Thorup 1936) M.36". Very clean yellow standards. Falls yellow, heavily brushed brown-red. .... \$ .35
- DESERT SONG**—(Fay 1947) M.40". Excellent cream or light yellow of nice proportions, large, flaring and ruffled with clean haft and yellow beard. fsje ..... \$7.50
- DESTINY**—(Burgess 1934) ML.36". Velvety, blackish plum-purple from New Zealand. A rich, heavy flower of good form and stems. .... \$ .40
- DINAH SHORE**—(T. Williams 1945) EM.36". Vigorous honey-gold self with ideal branching and long blooming period. .... \$1.50



**DIRECTEUR PINELLE**—(Cayeux 1932) M.42". Bronzy red-purple, large, tall and well-branched. .... \$ .40

**DISPLAY**—(Grant 1942) ML.35". Smooth, unveined Spanish red, shading to deep maroon at the haft. Deep and rich it has an intensity that glows even on a dull day. se ..... \$1.00



DISTANCE

**DISTANCE**—(Cook 1946) M.36". Silvery light blue, smooth and even. Flowers large and spreading, without veining. Substance, texture and finish, good. sje ..... \$7.00

**DOGROSE**—(Insole 1930) ML.44". Very tall, clear, pink-lavender. Vivid color, very effective for background clumps. Fine companion to Crystal Beauty. .... \$ .50

**DOWN EAST**—(Tobie 1943) M.37". Deep but glowing purple. A self, the solid color carried away down in the throat and permeating even the beard.... \$2.50

**DREAMCASTLE**—(Cook 1943) M.38". Orchid-pink self of great purity and charm, large and well-formed. Well-substanced and hardy. fsje ..... \$5.00

**DRUM MAJOR**—(G. Douglas 1947) ML. 38". Large flaring falls of oxblood red bordered brighter red, the color of the broad domed standards. Heavy substanced and non-fading. fe ..... \$8.00

**DUBROVINK**—(Wmsn. 1938) M.36". Colorful blend of deep rose and gold with violet flush on blade of fall and gold infusion in the center ..... \$ .35

**EASTER BONNET**—(Maxwell-Norton 1944) EM.38". Large bright blush pink with wide margin of burnished gold on both standards and falls. j ..... \$2.50

**EASTER MORN**—(Essig 1931) M.40". Magnificent white, ranking with the very best, but not where winters are severe. The flowers are large, falls broad and flaring. .... \$ .40

**EBONY ECHO**—(Tompkins 1948) ML. 36". Deep, glowing black-red of sleek velvety finish. Broad ruffled petals of heavy substance, domed and flaring in form. .... \$15.00

**EBONY QUEEN**—(Sass Bros. 1947) M. 36". Blackish purple self, medium large and well branched. .... \$4.00

**E. B. WILLIAMSON**—(Cook 1937) M.36". Glowing, silky, coppery rose. Perfect in form, fragrant, and vigorous. An outstanding iris that won the Roman Gold Medal in 1938. .... \$ .40

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**ELIZABETH ANN**—(Lapham 1940) L. 42". Tall, creamy light pink. Generous with bloom and one of the very last to flower. .... \$ .50

**ELLA CALLIS**—(H. Sass 1942) M.36". Huge deep yellow with an infusion of reddish-orange on the falls which gives it a startling brilliance. .... \$1.50



DREAMCASTLE



**ELKHART**—(Lapham 1936) M.36". Deep chestnut red with vivid orange beard. A seedling of Ethel Peckham crossed with King Tut. .... \$ .35

**ELMOHR**—(Loomis 1942) M.36". Great ruffled blooms of rich reddish mulberry. Finest of the Wm. Mohr seedlings, it has the characteristic venation and heavy silky texture of this famous parent in a new color. Dykes Medal 1945. fsje ..... \$1.00

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**ENVOY**—(DeForest 1948) M.36". Dark, with near-black falls and bright rich standards flushed reddish purple. Orange beard. Smooth haft. .... \$15.00

**EROS**—(Mead-Riedel 1934) M.40". Medium-sized flowers of silky salmon-pink. Tall and free-flowering. .... \$ .40

**ETHEL PECKHAM**—(Wmsn. 1932) M. 36". Large, perfectly-formed flowers of lustrous wine red. Sometimes throws up bloom stalks after regular flowering season. .... \$ .35

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**FAIR ELAINE**—(Mitchell 1938) M.40". Light yellow standards. Deep yellow falls. Bright orange beard, accentuating the two-toned yellow effect. Generous bloomer and rapid increaser. j ..... \$ .50

**FALL DAYS**—(K. Smith 1947) M.40". Rosy bronze standards, rose brown falls, with high metallic sheen over all. .... \$12.50

**FANTASY**—(Hall 1947) M.30". Orchid-toned rose pink with tangerine beard. Large, well-substantiated semi-flaring flower of new appealing color. fsje ..... \$15.00

**FAR HILLS**—(J. Wills 1949) M.38". Large orchid-pink self, deeper than Dreamcastle. Broad-petalled, smooth and firm with no haft venation. f \$8.00

**FAR WEST**—(Kleinsorge 1936) M.36". Satin-smooth blending of salmon, coral and pale golden tan with bluish copper cast on the falls. .... \$ .40

**FIESTA**—(White 1936) M.33". Sparkling copper standards. Apricot orange falls. Brilliant and colorful companion for blue. A California iris that is perfectly hardy here. .... \$ .75

**FIRECRACKER**—(Hall 1943) M.32". Brilliant plicata with heavy burgundy-red markings on yellow ground. Lacking in vigor here. sj ..... \$3.00

**FIRE DANCE**—(Fay 1947) M.37". Vivid red plicata with standards heavily marked wine and flaring falls of buff edged in red ..... \$7.50

**FLAMELY**—(Cook 1942) M.36". A radiant orange-red. Standards ochre red to terra cotta. Falls, garnet brown. Medium-large of splendid shape, good substance and texture. .... \$1.00

**FLORA CAMPBELL**—(Hill 1940)—M. 34". Glowing tones of warm red-brown and peach red. Of flaring form, this is one of the liveliest red-toned irises we have. .... \$ .50

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**FLORENTINE**—(Cayeux 1937) M.37". Enormous white plicata, entirely dusted and speckled with soft blue giving the effect of a hazy French blue. A beautiful and vigorous French importation. .... \$ .50

**FORT TICONDEROGA**—(K. Smith 1948) ML.36". Standards, between burnt orange and burnt sienna; falls, velvety garnet. Brilliant color with clean haft. .... \$15.00

**FORTUNE**—(Kleinsorge 1941) ML.32". Old gold with a reddish overlay that gives it life, on a flower of broadly, spreading form and heavy substance. .... \$ .75

**FORTUNES FAVOR**—(DeForest 1944) M.36". Ruffled giant of glistening tan with an overlay of rosy lavender on the broad falls. Heavy orange beard. .... \$2.50

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**GARDEN MAGIC**—(Grinter 1936) L.38". Glowing red, rich and vivid, with good form and substance, blooming late. Slow to increase it is, nevertheless, one of the grandest reds. .... \$ .75

**GAYOSO**—(Williams 1943) M.36". Vivid yellow in a deep shade. A seedling of Golden Hind and introduced as an improvement on this illustrious parent. .... \$ .75

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**GLOWPORT**—(DeForest 1939) M.36". Glowing wine-red self, devoid of haft markings. Sometimes blooms in the fall, also. .... \$ .50

**GOLDBEATER**—(Kleinsorge 1944) M.30". Large, smoothly colored deep yellow without blending or markings of any kind. A west coast iris of bright beautiful coloring. fsje .... \$2.00

**GOLDEN EAGLE**—(Hall 1942) EM.38". Brilliant light yellow with a satiny sheen. Flowers so huge tha the stalks have difficulty supporting them, under our growing conditions. .... \$1.00

**GOLDEN EPAULETS**—(Grant 1946) Smoothly polished and heavily substanced warm white with heavy flush of gold on the haft. Broad-petalled and flaring. e .... \$2.50

**GOLDEN FLEECE**—(J. Sass 1940) ML.40". Gorgeous lemon-toned flower with creamy falls, edged gold. Huge and ruffled, it is one of the most impressive irises. Tall and well-branched. je .... \$1.00



GOLDEN FLEECE



**GOLDEN HIND**—(Chadburn 1934) M. 32". Medium size and poor form, but one of the richest butter-cup golden yellows grown. English Dykes Medal, 1934 ..... \$ .35

**GOLDEN LIGHT**—(H. Sass 1933) L.32". Medium-sized, crisply ruffled golden yellow, edged orange cinnamon. A lively color combining charmingly with Clara Noyes, Noweta or Mrs. Willard Jacques. .... \$ .35

**GOLDEN MAJESTY**—(Salbach 1938) ML.38". Deep golden yellow that does not fade in the sun. A large flower with closed standards and broad falls. Best in its price class. j ..... \$ .50

**GOLDEN RUSSET**—(Hall 1946) M.40". The unusual feature of this flower is its great size. Mr. Hall says he has never seen a larger iris. The name is descriptive of its color. .... \$5.00

**GOLDEN SPANGLE**—(Cassebeer 1944) EM.38". Deeper yellow of the Golden Fleece type. Nice. .... \$ .50

**GOLDEN SPIKE**—(Whiting 1940) EM. 36". Shining pure dandelion yellow with thick orange beard. Large oval-shaped flowers with excellent substance. .... \$ .60

**GOLDEN SYMPHONY**—(Horton 1944) VL.38". Standards yellow; falls blue, edged yellow. Very late and superior blue and yellow blend. e ..... \$7.50

**GOLDEN TREASURE**—(Schreiner 1936) M.38". Shimmering silky cream with an outpouring of golden yellow from the center. Outstanding. sj ..... \$ .50

**GOOD NEWS**—(Kleinsorge 1946) M.36". Brilliant mustard gold, very ruffled, with narrow copper band near outer edge of fall. Wide domed standards. Sister seedling of Bryce Canyon. \$3.00

**GRAND CANYON**—(Kleinsorge 1942) M.36". Odd deep-colored blend of plum, copper and gold, entirely individual. Of bold size and slightly ruffled. sje ..... \$ .75

**GREAT LAKES**—(Cousins 1938) M.42". Crisp and flaring light blue, truer than Shining Waters, rugged and hardy. Bold in flower and foliage, of stately height and perfect branching, no iris ever more richly deserved the Dykes Medal, which it received in 1942. fsje ..... \$ .75

**GREEN PASTURES**—(Heller 1947) M. 50". Chartreuse yellow with a touch of blue at the beard. Large, tall and vigorous. Highly praised by some experts. \$5.00

**GUDRUN**—(Dykes 1931) EM.36". Very large, heavily-textured warm white with golden beard. One of the most universally admired irises ever introduced. Winner of English Dykes Medal in 1931. .... \$ .35

**GULF STREAM**—(Fay 1946) M.37". Dark purple-blue self, beard and all. A smooth rich shade. fe ..... \$5.00

**GYPSY**—(Kleinsorge 1944) VL.44". Copery gold standards with falls of silky chestnut brown. Smooth and harmonious yet vivid in coloring. sje ..... \$1.50

**GYPSY BARON**—(Schreiner 1942) EM. 40". Marbled or striated plicata of mulberry purple and silvery white background in a pattern like feathery frost on a window-pane. Good substance. \$1.00

**GYPSY ROSE**—(Whiting 1946) ML.39". Very large, rich, warm hellebore red with smooth brushing of copper at the haft and hint of blue at the tip of the heavy yellow beard. Heavy substance and strong stems. .... \$6.00

**HAPPY DAYS**—(Mitchell 1934) EM.40". Giant-flowered smooth light yellow. Tall and finely branched. A west-coast iris that sometimes receives winter damage here. .... \$ .35

**HARRIET THOREAU**—(Cook 1944) M. 38". Clear liquid color of orchid pink in a large, well formed flower. Great improvement over old orchid pinks. sj ..... \$1.50

**HELEN COLLINGWOOD**—(K. Smith 1949) ML.40". Light lavender standards, brilliant violet-purple falls. An entirely different and truly brilliant neglecta, as described by Mr. Smith. \$25.00



HELEN McGREGOR

**HELEN McGREGOR**—(Graves 1946) ML.34". Pale blue of exceptional purity. Large, perfectly formed, flaring and daintily ruffled. Dykes Medal 1949. fsj ..... \$8.00

**HERITAGE**—(Hall 1949) EM.36". Flamingo pink, deeper in tone than Cherie or Hit Parade. Smooth, well-substantiated, domed standards, semi-flaring falls, full-petalled and lightly ruffled. \$15.00



- HIS EXCELLENCY**—(K. Smith 1948) M.36". Standards, pinkish tan, and this Louvois type, this iris is larger and color repeats in the broad even border on the velvety red-brown falls. Of the richer. e ..... \$10.00
- HIT PARADE**—(Hall 1947) M.34". Medium toned famingo pink of good size, form and substance, with characteristic tangerine beard. .... \$6.00
- HIWASSEE**—(Becherer 1946) D o m e d standards of light lilac-pink. Broad semi-flaring falls of deep lilac with light purple overcast. Very large, of heavy substance, classic form and excellent branching. .... \$1.50
- HONEY FLOW**—(Tompkins 1944) ML. 38". Classically formed and heavily subenced blend of rose and honey tones. .... \$5.00
- HOOSIER SUNRISE**—(Lapham 1942) M. 40". Lovely pink and yellow blend of heavy substance, large flowers with broad petals on a sturdy stalk with good branching. .... \$1.00
- ICY BLUE**—(Weed 1941) EM.40". Pale blue self, the lightest we list, dusted with a frosty lustre. Large and flaring. \$ .50
- IDANHA**—(Kleinsorge 1942) EM.40". Pink and tan bicolor of pleasing individuality. Standards, apricot yellow. Falls, pink-lavender. Large, tall and well branched, early and long lasting. \$ .75
- ILLINOIS**—(Hall 1949) M.36". Creamy yellow of large size, fine texture, purity of color and heavy substance. Vigorous and prolific. .... \$10.00
- ILLINOIS SUNSHINE**—(Faught 1946) M.42". Large yellow self with intense orange beard. Very weather resistant in spite of its size. .... \$3.00
- IMPERIAL BLUSH**—(H. Sass 1932) EM. 40". Tall, silvery orchid pink with lemon beard. One of the older favorites. .... \$ .35
- INDIANA NIGHT**—(P. Cook 1942) ML. 36". Lustrous deep rich purple, very large and heavily subenced. Northern Indiana beauty which doesn't like southern Indiana as well. .... \$2.50
- INDIAN CHIEF**—(Ayres 1929) E.36". Early blooming "red." Standards, pinkish red. Falls, deep velvety red. .... \$ .35
- INDIAN HILLS**—(Grant 1937) M.38". Vivid true purple that makes a gorgeous clump of color. Large and vigorous. One of the most effective irises in the garden. .... \$ .40
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- IVORY CHARM**—(Whiting 1947) EM. 36". Warm ivory-toned flower with smooth golden yellow hafts and beards. .... \$2.00
- JASMANIA**—(Ayres 1936) M.38". Ripe-banana yellow of copious size and flaring form. .... \$ .35
- JASMINE**—(Grant 1944) ML.38". Gardenia-textured clear golden yellow with velvety sheen on the flawless semi-flaring falls. A gorgeous yellow. .... \$3.50
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- JEAN CAYEUX**—(Cayeux 1931) M.34". Cream-in-coffee color. A wavy, graceful iris that was awarded the Dykes Medal, France, in 1931. .... \$ .35
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- JOYCETTE**—(J. Sass 1932) M.36". Deep glowing crimson with undertone of mulberry. Large, tall, clear-colored self. .... \$ .35
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- KANSAS INGLESIDE**—(Hill 1940) E. 34". Early flowering warm-toned brown-red self. The first of the reds to bloom. Adapted to fall blooming too, where autumns are long. .... \$ .35
- KATHERINE FAY**—(Fay 1945) M.36". Large pure white with no yellow in the center. Broad wavy petals. Semi-flaring falls. Excellent substance. j ..... \$2.50
- KEENE VALLEY**—(K. Smith 1949) M. 42". Described as a more graceful, more refined version of Blue Valley, this sister seedling should rank high among the blues. .... \$25.00



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**MARION VAUGHAN**—(K. Smith 1947) M.36". Soft lemon ice, frosted. Fresh, cool clear, crisp, medium-sized flowers delightfully fluted. \$10.00

**MARQUITA**—(Cayeux 1931) L.34". Thick, satiny, cream-white standards. Falls same, heavily veined watermelon rose. \$ .40



MASTER CHARLES





MASKED BALL

**MARTIE EVEREST**—(Kirkland 1935) EM.36". Standards, lavender blue; falls, violet blue. Fragrant and reliable fall bloomer. ..... \$ .50

**MARY ELLEN**—(McKee 1947) L.40". Large ox-blood red, the blade of the broad flaring falls very blackish and velvety, surrounded by a ruffled margin of the same rosy red that colors the closely domed standards. Broad yellow beard. f ..... \$6.00

**MARY E. NICHOLLS**—(Nicholls 1939) M.36". Magnolia-textured, satiny warm white with a smooth overlay of gold on the hafts. A "quality" iris in form and finish. .... \$ .50

**MARY GEDDES**—(Washington 1931) ML.38". Salmony orange standards. Falls, same, overlaid Pompeian red. Dykes Medal 1936. .... \$ .40

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**MASKED BALL** (W. E. Buss 1949) M. 32". Unusual white-ground plicata, suggesting a reverse amoena. Standards are heavily striated, appearing almost solidly colored deep blue-purple. This color also borders the glossy white falls. Beard is dull yellow tipped blue. Form, domed and semi-flaring; size, medium. Substance, stalk and branching all satisfactory. Pronounced by David Hall the most outstanding seedling he saw in 1948. e ..... \$17.50

**MASTER CHARLES**—(Wmsn. 1943) M. 38". Rich glowing mulberry purple with a wonderful sheen, jaunty flaring form and excellent substance. fsje \$2.50

**MATA HARI**—(Nicholls 1937) VL.38". Deep, glistening indigo-blue purple. Large, velvety flower of good substance and graceful flaring form, this late bloomer is in a class all its own. ..... \$ .40

**MATTERHORN**—(J. Sass 1938) EM.38". Large immaculate white. There is no trace of any other color in this firm substandard, gracefully flaring, generously proportioned white. sj ..... \$ .50

**MATTIE GATES**—(Sass Bros. 1946) M. 38". Standards, lemon chrome. Falls, white with a three-quarter inch border of lemon chrome. Large and beautifully clear toned. se ..... \$15.00

**MATULA**—(H. Sass 1939) ML.38". Indescribable blend of rose, orange, crimson and buff. Large, well-substantiated flowers, airily waved and crimped like those of Midwest Gem, a lovely companion. .... \$ .50

**MAY DAY**—(Hall 1939) M.38". Glowing apricot-orange with an overlay of copper. A luscious color in a large flower of fair substance. .... \$ .35

**MELANIE**—(Hill 1941) M.45". Lovely orchid-pink of bold size and stature, ideally branched, well-formed and heavy substantiated. Excellent. .... \$ .60



**MELITZA**—(Nesmith 1940) M.38". New color, pale ivory flesh with vivid pinkish tangerine beard, which dominates the entire coloring. .... \$ .75

**MELLOWGLOW**—(Whiting 1942) M.36". Deep peach or apricot with flush of pink. Broad petalled and perfectly formed. .... \$4.00

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**MEXICO**—(Kleinsorge 1943) L.36". Buff-golden standards. Velvety red-brown falls, bordered and blended golden buff. Very large blended bicolor of gay and brilliant coloring, with wavy flaring falls. je ..... \$2.00



MINNIE COLQUITT

**MICHAEL**—(Norton 1946) M.36". Bridal-rose pink with crinkled edges and gold reticulations on the haft. Large and well branched. .... \$2.00

**MICHAEL BARTON**—(Tompkins 1947) M.38". Large deep red blend with clean hafts of chocolate-red. Nice form with falls semi-flaring. .... \$10.00

**MIDWEST GEM**—(H. Sass 1937) M.36". Pale apricot yellow lightly flushed pink. Large flower with crimped petals delicately colored and sparkling with gold dust. .... \$ .50

**MIMOSA GOLD**—(G. Douglas 1947) ML. 38". Sparklingly brilliant yellow of smooth texture. Nice form with domed standards and flaring falls. .... \$7.50

**MING YELLOW**—(Glutzbeck 1938) ML. 36". Extraordinary yellow, large, clear, smooth, without veining, thick-substanted, well branched and slightly waved. Medium yellow in tone. sj \$ .75

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**MIOBELLE**—(McKee 1945) L.40". Warm, lustrous, medium rose, broad and heavy substanted. Tall vigorous. Late. .... \$2.00

**MIOGEM**—(McKee 1947) M.36". Unusual blending of fuchsia red and China rose with a blue blaze at the base of the orange beard and a ruffled ribbon of brown edging the falls. Firm, bright and glowing, fe ..... \$5.00

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MATTIE GATES



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**MISTY GOLD**—(Schreiner 1943) ML.33". Crinkly petalled soft lemon cream, bordered with gold. Cool, crisp and nicely ruffled. s ..... \$1.50

**MME. LOUIS AUREAU**—(Cayeux 1934) E.30". Large silvery white heavily sanded and plicated rosy heliotrope. Dykes Medal, France, 1934. .... \$ .40

**MME. MAURICE LASSAILLY**—(Cayeux 1935) M.37". Sky-blue standards. Velvety purple falls. Orange beard. Tall Amigo-type iris. Dykes Medal France, 1935. .... \$ .75

**MODISTE**—(Hall 1938) EM.34". Pale mauve, on the pinkish side of lavender, with lemon beard on white ground. Large silky flower with broad hafts and full rounded form. .... \$ .40

**MONADNOCK** — (Salbach 1937) L.42". Vivid violet-rose. A striking color in a large flower, blooming late..... \$ .50

**MOONLIGHT MADONNA**—(J. Sass 1943) M.36". Clear lemon ice, ruffled, delicately lovely, yet large and firmly substed. j ..... \$1.50

**MOONLIT SEA**—(J. Sass 1943) M.36". Strikingly unusual. The white background is almost hidden in the overall flushing of lavender-blue and radiation of Empire yellow from the heart. \$ .50

**MOONTIDE** — (McKee 1946) M.38". Broad-petalled cadmium yellow. A mellow yellow of good substance and flaring form. .... \$6.00

**MORNING MELODY** — (Becherer 1948) M.38". Alluring soft orchid-lavender of grace, purity and refined styling with harmonizing white beard. .... \$7.50

**MOROCCO ROSE**—(Loomis 1937) ML. 38". Warm soft rose-pink with yellowish glow at the heart. Very large, well-substanced, beautifully formed and hardy. .... \$ .60

**MOTHER'S DAY**—(Milliken 1945) EM. 42". Soft grey with tints of lavender. Huge in flower and plant. A vigorous Californian you wouldn't believe had oncocyclus blood. .... \$1.00

**MOUNT BLANC**—(Grant 1946) ML.38". Flaring pure white, magnolia-textured, large and full-bodied. Elegantly formed. No haft markings. .... \$4.00

**MOUNT CLOUD**—(Milliken 1936) M.42". Smooth, thickly-petalled blue-white that seems sculptured from white marble, so flawless is its smoothly-textured form. .... \$ .35

**MOUNT HERMON**—(Lowry 1945) Thick-textured, cool white very weather-resistant and vigorous. Lovely semi-flaring form with delicious fragrance. f ..... \$4.00

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**MOUNT TIMP**—(Muhlestein 1945) M. 34". Remindful of Tiffany, this yellow-ground plicata has more rose in the standards and less yellow in the falls. The substance is good. .... \$ .75

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**NEW ERA**—(Sass Bros. 1949) M.36" Standards, white. Falls, olive-yellow. Medium size. .... \$10.00

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**NIGHTFALL**—(Hall 1942) M.36". Velvety, blackish, pansy-purple falls. Standards several shades lighter. Size, form, substance and branching most satisfactory. Very floriferous and exceptionally easy to grow. fsje ..... \$ .75

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**OLD PARCHMENT**—(Kleinsorge 1939) M.33". Large ivory with creamy tan suffusion. Large, heavy textured and well-formed, this is an iris of great individuality. .... \$ .60

**OLYMPIAN**—(G. Douglas 1948) M.42". Domed standards of buff, lightly blended with rose. Rosy brown falls, very broad and flaring. Large and weather resistant. f ..... \$7.00



NIGHTFALL



**ORANGEMAN**—(Waters 1946) M.40". Lovely, huge deep yellow self, smooth and rich. .... \$4.00

**ORCHID LADY**—(Salbach 1943) ML.36". Large, perfectly-formed, stiffly-flaring flowers of orchid-lilac. .... \$ .75

**OREGON TRAIL**—(Kleinsorge 1943) L. 36". Big, heavy textured flower of smoothly blended shades of tawny salmon with gold beard and soft brown areas surmounting the broad falls. .... \$1.25

**ORELIO**—(DeForest 1947) M.38". Large brown-red, rich and bright. Good form and substance. Well branched. e \$6.00

**ORLOFF**—(H. Sass 1937) ML.33". Medium-sized but heavy blooming yellow-ground plicata. The cream-yellow background is heavily dotted and edged red-brown. .... \$ .50

**ORMACO**—(Kleinsorge 1942) ML.33". Metallic blend of violet and bronze. A west coast iris which does not like our climate and seldom blooms. .... \$1.00

**ORMOHR**—(Kleinsorge 1937) M.36". Huge, grey-lavender with violet veining, similar to its parent, (Wm. Mohr), but darker, larger and taller. e.... \$ .50

**OSCEOLA**—(Wiesner 1937) M.38". Large crinkled medium light blue of high fragrance. .... \$ .40

**OVERTURE**—(Hall 1944) M.34". Famous famingo pink by Hall. This family of pinks is the color-break sensation of the hour, advancing into the field of true pink. .... \$3.00

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**PAINTED DESERT**—(Milliken 1943) M. 42". Indescribable blend of tan, brown and violet that we think of as a dusty-rose. Anyhow it's attractive. .... \$1.50

**PALE DAWN**—(Fay 1947) E.40". A pale blue which does not fade, very large and flaring. Full petalled, beautifully formed, perfectly branched, vigorous and hardy. .... \$5.00

**PALE PRIMROSE**—(Whiting 1946) L. 36". Pale yellow with touch of honey yellow at the haft. Standards tightly closed and swirled. Falls very broad. Branching is too high but growing and blooming habits are good. s ..... \$1.00

**PATHFINDER**—(Whiting 1948) M.36". Wide, full-bodied pink blend of remarkably true tones. Heavy substance and glistening finish. s ..... \$20.00

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SPANISH PEAKS

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— (Cook 1945) ML.40". Brilliant bicolor of Amigo type. Standards, pale violet; falls, dark violet to mulberry purple, semi-flaring, with a narrow border of pale violet. Excellent substance and texture.

j \$4.00

THREE OAKS

— (Whiting 1943) M.38". Massive bright rose-pink blend, highlighted with an overlay of rosy copper and a touch of bright blue in the center of the falls. Broad-petalled, domed and semi-flaring.

sje \$2.50

THREE SISTERS

— (DeForest 1941) ML. 35". The pale cream standards and violet red falls produce a most intriguing color combination. The standards fade whiter in the sun and the effect is almost red and white.

\$1.00

TIETON

— (Norton 1948) M.38". Exceptionally attractive white ground plicata with tan-buff markings, overall on the standards, a bordering on the falls. Large and well-substanced.

\$7.50

TIFFANJA

— (DeForest 1942) M.38". Firm standards of buff and this color also borders the white falls which are brushed at the haft and speckled around the border with golden brown. Large, smooth and well substanced.

fsje \$1.00

TIFFANY

— (H. Sass 1938) M.34". Soft yellow plicata with rose stitching. A favorite in its color class. Large and ruffly.

j \$ .50

TIP TOP

— (Hall 1947) M.30". Striking and unusual color combination. Standards solid violet blue; falls white, delicately peppered blue in throat and on edges. Clean, crisp and of good form.

\$4.00

TISHOMINGO

— (Caldwell 1942) ML.40". Large, crisp, wisteria blue with a frosty flush and widely spreading form

\$1.00

TITIAN LADY

— (G. Douglas 1941) ML. 40". Soft white with intense tangerine beard which lights up the center.

\$ .75

TOBACCO ROAD

— (Kleinsorge 1942) ML.33". Crisp golden tobacco brown with broad falls held stiffly horizontal. A most individual flower with heavy substance. The plant is not vigorous here.

j \$3.00

TOKEN

— (Hall 1939) M.38". Standards, old gold flushed rose. Falls, rosy brown-red with little veining. Carries much of the salmony orange effect present in Mary Geddes.

\$ .50

TONGA

— (DeForest 1942) M.40". The ruddy tan or russet standards are good but the brownish red falls look dull. We prefer Spokane.

\$ .40

TOP SERGEANT

— (Kirkalnd 1941) ML. 34". Brilliant red-brown. Almost a self, except that the falls are slightly deeper in tone, and velvety.

\$ .50

POPULARITY COLLECTION

10 Choice Varieties, selected as outlined \$5. All 58—\$27.50

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	Hoosier Sunrise				Copper Pink				California Peach
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	Nightingale				Fiesta				Elsa Sass
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	Remembrance				Great Lakes				Florentine
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	Shishaldin				Majenica				Gloriole
	Snow Velvet				Ming Yellow				Golden Majesty
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	Three Sisters				Sunset Beam				Louvois
	Vision of Mirza				The Red Douglas				Miss California
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- TOURNAMENT**—(J. Wills 1948) L.42". Purple-rose with yellow beard and brown overlay on the hafts. Large, broad-petalled, domed and semi-flaring in form, this seedling of Monadnock is brighter, smoother, richer and larger. f ..... \$7.00
- TOURNAMENT QUEEN**—(Milliken 1946) E.36". A bright fuchsia-rose, large, flaring and firmly built which blooms early thereby emphasizing its unusual and attractive color. A Californian which has proved hardy here. \$2.00
- TOWER OF JEWELS**—(Salbach 1941) M.38". Standards, golden yellow; falls, blended mauve and yellow. .... \$ .50
- TRANQUIL MOON**—(P. Cook 1948) ML.40". Standards, light pure yellow, which also carries into the hafts and narrow margining of the crisp horizontal, silvery-white falls. Sparklingly fresh and heavy substantanced. .... \$12.00
- TREASURE ISLAND**—(Kleinsorge 1937) M.36". Bright clear yellow with a lighter area in the center of each fall. Large and tall with moderate branching. It has been, and still is, a very popular yellow. sj ..... \$ .50
- TREASURE TROVE**—(Sturtevant 1940) L.24". This is a table iris, not a tall-bearded. A gem in its Naranja coloring it is lovely for foreground planting or flower arrangements. .... \$ .50
- TRIPTYCH**—(Wareham 1939) ML.38". Large flaring medium-toned yellow of fine form and substance. .... \$1.00
- TUNISIAN GOLD**—(Tompkins 1946) ML.36". Smoothly finished rich powdered gold with overtone of French beige and haft of deep antique brown. General effect, rich golden brown. Large, broad-petalled, heavy-substantanced with strong stalks and good branching. .... \$7.50
- TWILIGHT SKY**—(Fay 1948) M.35". Pink-bud pink with red beard. Exceptionally well formed, with clean hafts, good substance and stalk. Hardy and vigorous. f ..... \$10.00
- VAGABOND PRINCE**—(J. Sass 1940) M.32". Smooth deep purple with a high gloss or sheen. Fine form and crisp, weather resistant substance. .... \$ .40
- VALIANT**—(Sturtevant 1937) EM.40". Standards, blended blue and gold. Falls, wisteria violet with old gold edge. Strong orange beard. Large. Good blue and yellow blends are few. \$ .40
- VATICAN PURPLE**—(Whiting 1943) ML.36". Rich dark blue-purple with heavy textured satiny finish without haft markings. Of bold stature with widely spreading falls. sje ..... \$3.00
- VEDETTE**—(Cayeux 1936) ML.36". Crinkly honey yellow to chamois with sparkling gold on edges of falls. \$ .50
- VEISHEA**—(Whiting 1943) M.30". Bright copper-rose blend with a blaze of blue in the center of each fall. .... \$1.00
- VELVET DUSK**—(Schreiner 1948) ML.36". Very dark descendant of Sable. Sculptured form, well flared and rounded, with glistening sheen. Bluish brown beard. .... \$7.50
- VICE REGAL**—(Miles 1946) M.32". A supreme shade of glowing bronzy red-purple with bronze beard and scarcely any haft markings. A self except for the velvet of the falls. A new and lovely Canadian. e ..... \$2.00
- VIOLET CROWN**—(Kirkland 1931) EM.38". Deep lilac self with rich glistening texture. Very large and tall. .... \$ .50
- VIOLET SYMPHONY**—(K. Smith 1940) M.40". Lilac-mauve or light purple self with massive broad-petalled flowers of especially finished appearance, smooth, precisely carved, and without veining. Finest of its color, sje ..... \$ .75
- VISION FUGITIVE**—(Wareham 1942) ML.39". Cream standards, ruffled and domed. Broad blue-white falls with chrome-yellow hafts and yellow tracery at the rims. Firm substance and well branched stalks. f ..... \$3.50
- VISION OF MIRZA**—(DeForest 1944) M.38". Large marbled plicata with cream-yellow ground heavily striated brown-rose. Particularly clean, bright coloring. Tall, vigorous plant. .... \$1.00
- VISTA VERONICA**—(W. E. Buss 1950) See 1950 Introductions.
- VOODOO**—(Kleinsorge 1948) M.30". Tightly closed erect standards of rich chocolate brown; broad stiffly horizontal falls of blackish red-brown. Both crimped and ruffled at the edges. Average size. Rich color. \$6.00
- WABASH**—(Williamson 1936) M.38". Snowy white standards; purple falls with a white margin. This tall, clean-cut amoena has no rival. It is the undisputed best of its color class. Dykes Medal 1940. fsje ..... \$ .50
- WAKARUSA**—(Lapham 1941) M.32". A radiant blending of brilliant orange and vivid red. In effect a burnt-orange bicolor with velvet falls. Poor grower here. .... \$ .75
- WAR EAGLE**—(J. Sass 1933) M.38". Giant coppery rose-red. An old favorite. \$ .35
- WASATCH**—(Thorup 1935) E.36". Giant white plicata with blue stitching and somewhat crepey texture. A well-substantanced early bloomer and probably the largest plicata. .... \$ .40
- WEST POINT**—(Nicholls 1938) L.36". Two-tone indigo-blue, the standards bright and falls deeper with brown epaulets on the hafts. .... \$ .50



<b>WHISTLING SWAN</b> —(Waters 1948) M. 40". Large, slightly ruffled, heavy-textured white. All white except for gold reticulations far back on the haft and a touch of yellow on the white beard. Vigorous and hardy. e ..... \$5.00	<b>WILLIAM A. SETCHELL</b> —(Brehm 1938) ML.38". One of the very largest good iris. Not only of startling size but, unlike most giants, is good all ways—form of bloom, branching, height, substance and vigor. Color, attractive two-toned violet. .... \$ .75
<b>WHITE CITY</b> — (Murrell 1939) EM.42". Immense blue-white with crisp ice-cold finish and silken sheen. Dykes Medal England, 1940. .... \$ .75	<b>WINNESHIEK</b> — (Egelberg 1931) ML. 37". Gracefully-formed, deep blue with broad, lustrous segments and light ruffling, a lighter colored margin on the falls. .... \$ .35
<b>WHITE GODDESS</b> —(Nesmith 1936) M. 38". Beautifully sculptured pure white, large and flaring. Domed standards. Arched, flaring falls, both slightly ruffled. .... \$ .75	<b>WINSTON CHURCHILL</b> —(Stevens 1944) ML.32". Deep red, close to crimson, the falls velvety, the beard gold, the texture fine. A different and impressive red for foreground planting..... \$7.50
<b>WHITE WEDGEWOOD</b> — (Grant 1943) EM.40". Large blue-white, which soon changes to pure white except for a slight flush at the haft and the heavy dark blue beard which contrasts, sharply, with the smooth porcelain white. j ..... \$2.00	<b>WINTER CARNIVAL</b> —(Schreiner 1941) M.38". An outstanding flaring white. Large, graceful, waxy snow white with gold throat. sj ..... \$1.00
<b>WILD HONEY</b> —(Whiting 1946) EM.34". Rich light brown with a glistening glint of gold over the entire flower. Large, long flower on well-branched, sturdy stalks. Vigorous and hardy..... \$2.50	<b>WOODLAND BEAUTY</b> —(Sass Bros. 1946) M.34". Creamy yellow standards, slightly ruffled. Semi-flaring falls same with overflush of salmon. Yellow beard. .... \$6.50
<b>WILLIAM CAREY JONES</b> —(Brehm 1935) M.36". Lemon-cream of fine enamelled texture and leathery substance. Profuse bloomer of large flowers. .... \$ .35	<b>WORTHINGTON</b> —(P. Cook 1943) M.36". Harmonious two-toned rosy-red of beautiful form, large size, smooth texture and heavy substance. .... \$1.00
	<b>ZANTHA</b> — (Fay 1947) EM.37". Very large deep yellow which blooms early. A clean yellow self with deep yellow beard and no haft markings, nicely tailored and flaring. Strong stalk well branched, fse ..... \$7.50

UPPER CRUST COLLECTION \$25

Irises so superior that if they were people they'd be snobs.

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			Rilla Gabbert		Lockwood
			Rocket		Orelia
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## EARLY BLOOMING INTERMEDIATE IRIS

If you have been growing only the tall-bearded varieties of iris, the time will come when you will wish that you could stretch the season out longer. There IS a way to extend the iris season and the way to do it is—BACKWARD.

To really begin at the beginning you should have some dwarf iris, which start to bloom a month or so before the tall-bearded. But our purpose, on this page, is to interest you in the early-blooming intermediates.

The EARLY BLOOMING INTERMEDIATES are, generally speaking, the result of crossing dwarfs with tall bearded varieties and such hybrids are between the two in size, height and blooming season. Their height is between 16 and 28 inches and they have an unusual vivid clearness of coloring, altho the color range is much more limited than among the later flowering tall-bearded varieties.

The intermediates are doubly valuable because they bloom at a period when there is a definite lull in the garden. Daffodils and spring-flowering shrubs are through blooming and altho tulips bloom at this time, these are not happy everywhere and inclined to die out. Intermediate iris, on the other hand, have rugged constitutions and are generous in the profusion of bloom. The culture is the same as that of the tall-bearded.

As an extra dividend, some of these intermediates bloom again in the fall, if conditions are favorable, which implies that the plants are not allowed to become crowded, that moisture has been sufficient for new growth and that the fall temperatures hold favorable for this second crop of flowers.



IVORY ELF



## LIST OF INTERMEDIATE IRIS

- ABELARD**—(H. Sass 1934) Salmony rose standards. Copper red falls. .... \$ .30
- ALICE HORSEFALL**—(H. Sass 1932) Large velvety claret purple. .... \$ .30
- AUTUMN FROST**—(Schreiner 1936) Fine early white but refuses to bloom in the fall here. .... \$ .30
- AUTUMN HAZE**—(H. Sass 1934) Large, tall soft lavender. One of the most reliable fall bloomers here. .... \$ .35
- AUTUMN KING**—(H. Sass 1924) Lavender-blue in two tones. Progenitor of fall bloomers. .... \$ .30
- AUTUMN QUEEN**—(H. Sass 1936) Fine white everbloomer. Has a record of blooming every month from April to November. Sometimes listed as a dwarf. .... \$ .30
- BLACK HAWK**—(Schreiner 1941) Rich velvety black-purple with plush-like falls. .... \$ .75
- BOUNTIFUL BLUE**—(Hill-Son 1942) Profuse bloomer, spring and fall. Medium blue. .... \$ .50
- BLACK MAGIC**—(Wayman 1935) True purple fall bloomer. Eleanor Roosevelt incognito. .... \$ .35
- CHALLENGER**—(J. Sass 1929) Large deep purple. .... \$ .30
- COSETTE**—(H. Sass 1936) Fine early white. .... \$ .30
- DORCAS HUTCHESON**—(McDade 1933) Pansy violet self. Fall bloomer. .... \$ .35
- ELEANOR ROOSEVELT**—(H. Sass-McDade 1933) True purple of great intensity. Reliable fall bloomer. .... \$ .35
- GENTIUS**—(H. Sass 1934) Bluish violet and deeper royal purple. .... \$ .30
- GLADSONG**—(H. Sass 1942) Yellow ground plicata adapted to fall blooming. .... \$ .50
- GOLDEN BOW**—(H. Sass 1935) Long large flowers of rich chrome yellow. .... \$ .30
- GOLDEN WEST**—(J. Sass 1934) Fine empire and wax yellow with gold beard. .... \$ .30
- IVORY ELF**—(Doub 1938) Lovely ivory-cream. 10". Sometimes listed as a dwarf. .... \$ .50
- KING JR.**—(H. Sass 1933) Similar to Autumn King. Earlier and freer blooming. .... \$ .30
- KOCHINETTE**—(Kirkland 1934) Rich purple with flaring falls. .... \$ .30
- NYMPH**—(H. Sass 1927) Deep yellow with rich golden beard. Fine garden value. .... \$ .30
- PANSY PURPLE**—(Hill) A very pleasing tone of light purple, which repeats in the fall. .... \$ .35
- PAPIO**—(H. Sass 1936) Nice red purple. .... \$ .30
- PESHAWAR**—(Schreiner 1937) A vigorous onco-bred that should be in every garden. Rich brown-purple and dotted deeper. .... \$ .35
- RED ORCHID**—(J. Sass 1934) Violet-carmine self with velvet falls. Splendid. .... \$ .35
- RUBY GLOW**—(Schreiner 1941) Richest and reddest intermediate. .... \$ .75
- SANGREAL**—(J. Sass 1935) Fine chrome and citron yellow fall bloomer. .... \$ .30
- SEPTEMBER SKIES**—(Sass-Hill 1933) True purple, lighter than Eleanor Roosevelt and adapted to fall blooming. .... \$ .30
- SNOW MAIDEN**—(Chadwick 1935) Very nice white. 12". Sometimes listed as a dwarf. .... \$ .30
- SPARK**—(Nicholls 1931) Fiery deep brick-red. .... \$ .35
- SPRING GLOW**—(Schreiner 1942) Finely formed rich maroon brown. .... \$ .50
- SOUTHLAND**—(H. Sass 1934) Dependable deep yellow fall repeater. .... \$ .30
- SUSA**—(H. Sass 1934) Intense rich red-purple with purple beard. .... \$ .30
- ULTRA**—(H. Sass 1926) Ultramarine blue with flaring falls. Fall bloomer. .... \$ .30
- WHITE AUTUMN KING**—(H. Sass 1935) Dependable white fall bloomer. .... \$ .30



# EARLY BLOOMING DWARF IRIS

These low-growing and very early sorts are especially useful for the rock-garden or as front edging for the perennial border, where their early brilliance and cheerfulness is so welcome to flower-hungry gardeners.

- ALINDA**—(Cook 1946) Very fine clear red-purple. A real dwarf, vigorous and floriferous. 8". ..... \$1.00
- ATROVIOFACEA**—(Todaro 1857) Deep red-violet. First to bloom. 5"..... \$ .30
- AUTUMN QUEEN**—(H. Sass 1936) Fine white everbloomer. Has a record of blooming every month from April to November. 12". Really a small intermediate. .... \$ .30
- BALROUDOUR**—(J. Sass 1933) Standards, pale violet. Falls, olive buff darkening to olive yellow around beard. Quaint but vigorous onco-bred. 10". ..... \$ .30
- BLUEBEARD**—(Junge, before 1906). Ruffled pale lavender standards. Pale olive-yellow falls with purple flecks. 9". ..... \$ .30
- BOUQUET**—(Caparne 1902) White with blue flecks. 8". ..... \$ .30
- BRIDE**—(Caparne 1901) Creamy white free bloomer. 6". ..... \$ .30
- BUTTERFLY**—(Field 1930) Light yellow with crinkled standards. 9"..... \$ .30
- BUZZER**—(Burchfield 1927) Light blue with pink flush. 6". ..... \$ .30
- CREAM TART**—(Hill-son) Glistening cream and olive yellow with dash of red in center of horizontal falls. 6". ..... \$ .35
- CYANEA**—(G. & K. 1899) Rich crimson-purple with white throat. 6"..... \$ .30
- DIXMUDE**—(Millet 1916) Standards blue. Falls, red-purple. 10". ..... \$ .30
- DR. MANN**—(Fryer 1924) Soft gray-violet standards; smokey purple falls. 6". ..... \$ .30
- EBURNA**—(G. & K. 1899) Pale yellow self. 10". ..... \$ .30
- FLORIDA**—(G. & K. 1899) Clean pale yellow. 6". ..... \$ .30
- GOLD SPRITE**—(Horton 1946) Bright golden yellow. 8". ..... \$ .50
- GRAMINEA**—(Bonnewitz 1920) Deep claret. Gold beard. 10". ..... \$ .30
- HARBOR LIGHTS**—(Burchfield 1927) Clear light yellow. .... \$ .35
- IVORY ELF**—(Doub 1938) Lovely ivory cream. 10". Really a small intermediate. .... \$ .50
- J. A. SLOTE**—(Slote) Light greenish yellow. 8". ..... \$ .30
- JEAN SIRET**—(Andre 1926) Yellow with falls flecked violet. Reliable fall bloomer. 12". ..... \$ .30
- KEEPSAKE**—(Cook 1936) Bright, clean yellow. Tiny flowers on slender graceful stems 12" tall. .... \$ .35
- LIEUT. DE CHAVAGNAC**—(Andre 1926) Violet fall-bloomer. 10". ..... \$ .35
- LITTLE JEWEL**—(J. Sass 1939) Brown tan blend. 6". ..... \$ .50
- LOBELIA**—(Millet 1907) Dark blue. 8". ..... \$ .30
- MAROCAIN**—(Millet 1914) Rich, deep pansy-purple. 10". ..... \$ .30
- MAUVE MIST**—(Hill-Son) Standards, gray-lavender. Falls, gray-purple. 10". ..... \$1.00
- MIST O' PINK**—(Hill-Son) Grayish rose-pink with crisp horizontal falls. 8". ..... \$1.00
- NEGUS**—(Millet 1914) Dark violet with white markings. 8". ..... \$ .30
- NUDICAULIS**—(Coll-Hook 1869) Small flowered blue-purple. 8". ..... \$ .30
- ORANGE QUEEN**—(Barr 1910) Fragrant deep yellow self. 9". ..... \$ .35
- PATH OF GOLD**—(Hodson 1943) Delightful deep yellow, vigorous and hardy. .... \$1.00
- PRAIRIE GEM**—(Shreve 1904) Medium yellow. 9". ..... \$ .35
- REFLECTION**—(Burchfield 1925) Large sky blue. 8". ..... \$ .35
- ROSE MIST**—(H. Sass 1931) Soft rosy mauve. 10". ..... \$ .35
- SCHNEEKUPPE**—(G. & K. 1910) Snow white with greenish flush. White beard. 10". ..... \$ .30
- SILVER ELF**—(Burchfield 1928) Silvery white with violet area on falls. 10". ..... \$ .30
- SOCRATES**—Bright garnet purple. 8". ..... \$ .30
- SOUND MONEY**—(J. Sass 1934) Rich yellow. 10". ..... \$ .35
- SNOW MAIDEN**—(Chadwick 1935) Very nice white. 12". Really a small intermediate. .... \$ .30



<b>STATELLAE</b> — (Collected-Todaro 1856) Ivory white, veined olive. 10". ..... \$ .30	<b>TINY TREASURE</b> — (Hill-son) Midget bright canary with widely flaring falls. 6". ..... \$1.00
<b>STEWART</b> — (Caparne 1901) Small, dainty yellow. 6". ..... \$ .30	<b>TONY</b> — (H. Sass 1931) Aristocratic rich red-purple. 9". ..... \$ .30
<b>TAMPA</b> — (Cook 1936) Floriferous red- claret in tiny long-stemmed flower like Keepsake. 12". ..... \$ .35	<b>VILLEREAL</b> — (Millet 1910) Deep old rose. 8". ..... \$ .50
<b>TINY TONY</b> — (Hill-Son) You guessed it —a more typically dwarf Tony. 9". \$ .50	<b>WEE PRINCE</b> — (Horton 1945) Large purplish blue. 9". ..... \$ .35
	<b>YELLOW FRILLS</b> — (Hill 1937) Deepest yellow and ruffled. Extra fine. 10". \$ .50

### SPECIAL PRICES ON DWARF IRIS

Dwarfs are, naturally, small plants and altho they increase very rapidly, three plants of one variety will give you the massing effect that you want more quickly. 3 plants of **one name**—

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### AUTUMN FLOWERING IRIS

Some bearded irises have a tendency to bloom in the fall as well as in the spring. These fall blooms are doubly welcome because of their rarity even when they are not of technical perfection. It should be realized that the rapid growth necessary for repeat bloom requires that seasons are favorable in length and rainfall and that the plants are uncrowded. Look up, in their respective classifications, among the dwarf, intermediate and tall-bearded the following fall bloomers:

**Autumn Queen**  
**Jean Siret**  
**Lieut. de Chavagnac**  
**Autumn Frost**  
**Autumn Haze**  
**Autumn King**  
**Bountiful Blue**  
**Eleanor Roosevelt**  
**Dorcas Hutcheson**  
**King Jr.**

**Sangreal**  
**September Skies**  
**Southland**  
**Ultra**  
**White Autumn King**  
**Autumn Flame**  
**Autumn Sunset**  
**Gibson Girl**  
**Martie Everest**  
**October Blaze**

### SIBERIAN IRIS

Every garden should include a planting of Siberian iris. Blooming at about the same time as the tall-bearded varieties, they are so very different that the contrast is most intriguing. They are beardless and have a much different petal formation.

Easy to grow and prodigious of bloom, an established clump often produces fifty or more tall, wirey flower stalks rising out of the mass of narrow-leaved artistic foliage. The flowers have a cool, crisp appearance and keep well when cut.

The newer varieties are taller and finer, the colors cleaner and brighter, and the flowers are larger and of better form than the old, outmoded varieties. The range of colors is limited to various shades of blue and purple; white; and bluish red.

They should be planted in early Fall in ordinary garden soil which should not be allowed to dry out until plant is established. They may be grown in full sunlight or in partial shade. Better avoid lime and bonemeal because they prefer a slightly acid environment.

The Siberian iris plants we send you are not just single fans but rather, small clumps which have more strength and vigor to insure successful transplanting and earlier increase in your garden.

**PLEASE NOTE:** We will ship only after September first and the minimum acceptable order is \$2 unless order is accompanied by other plants to be shipped at the same time.



## LIST OF SIBERIAN IRIS

- ACUTA**—(Willdenow 1813) 16" Medium blue dwarf, the only one we list. A long-time favorite which covers itself with bloom. .... \$ .75
- AHALYA**—(Nesmith 1932) 38" Pink-toned white, dainty and beautiful. The pinkest Siberian. .... \$2.50
- AMELIA EARHART**—(H. Sass 1939) 30". Deep blue-violet with flaring falls. .... \$ .75
- CAESAR**—(Morgan 1930) 42". Very tall, broad-petalled, handsome blue-purple. .... \$ .50; 3 for \$1.00
- CAESAR'S BROTHER**—(Morgan 1932) 32". Tall, dark and handsome. Black pansy-purple. .... \$ .75; 3 for \$1.75
- COOL SPRING**—(W. L. Kellogg 1940) 40". Standards and styles, pearly blue. Falls, pearly blue, except the upper part, which is much deeper. Horizontal flaring falls. Widely branched stems. .... \$1.50
- CRYSTAL CHARM**—(Scheffy 1948) 32". Sparkling white of great charm. The crinkly-edged broad standards open wide in orchid-like stance. The falls are relaxed. Medium sized. New and scarce ..... \$4.00
- ERIC THE RED**—(Whitney 1944) 40". Large broad-petalled flowers of wine-red. Flaring falls. Finest of the reds. .... \$6.00
- GATINEAU**—(Preston 1932) 36". Wonderfully clear bright blue, large-flowered and outstanding. .... \$1.00
- GAYHEART**—(Scheffy 1935) 38". Nice dark blue self. Late. .... \$ .75
- GRAY DOVE**—(Cleveland 1938) 38". Charming soft grayish blue with almost lavender shadings. Excellent wisteria-colored bloom. .... \$ .75
- HELEN ASTOR**—(Whitney-Kellogg 1938) 30". Wide standards of rosy red. Falls are broad and round of rosy red. White throat flushed blue. Outstanding. .... \$2.00
- KENOGAMI**—(Preston 1938) 40". Striking dark blue of tall and stately habit. .... \$1.00
- LLEWELLYN**—(Cleveland 1929) 42". Large, flaring rich blue-purple.... \$ .75
- MARTHA LE GRAND**—(Washington 1935) 38". Large pure white..... \$1.00
- MISS DULUTH**—(H. Sass 1938) 30". Velvety blackish violet. .... \$ .75
- MOUNTAIN LAKE**—(Gersdorff 1938) 36". Delightful clear medium blue with flaring falls slightly ruffled. The center and styles are lighter blue. Very nice. .... \$2.00
- MOUNTAIN POOL**—(Cleveland 1932) 34". Extra beautiful clear sky blue. Smooth. .... \$1.00



SIBERIAN IRIS

- MY LOVE**—(Scheffy 1948) 46". Appealing shade of soft medium blue in a finely finished flower of large proportions and excellent form. Exceptional branching, vigor and long blooming season. .... \$8.00
- NORA DISTIN**—(Perry 1923) 32". Dark blue with white wire edge. .... \$ .50
- PAPILLON**—(Dykes 1923) 42". Large sky blue. .... \$ .75
- PERIWINKLE**—(Cleveland 1929) 36". Very showy deep violet blue. .... \$ .75
- PICKANOCK**—(Preston 1937) 40". Deep violet blue with a decided white area in center of falls. Excellent form and habit. .... \$ .75
- PSEUDACORUS**—(species) 36". Large yellow-flowered beardless adapted to pools. Not a Siberian but if grown in pool will bloom at the same time in pleasing contrast. Will grow in garden also blooming somewhat later..... \$ .50
- RED EMPEROR**—(Sturtevant 1934) 30". Wine red, veined blue. One of the very few "reds" which contrast so effectively with the blues and whites. \$1.00
- RIMOUSKI**—(Preston 1937) 30". White standards flushed yellow at the base. The white falls have a yellow halo and yellow line down the center. The only Siberian showing yellow. .... \$1.00
- ROYAL HERALD**—(Scheffy 1948) 40". Handsome rich purple, vigorous and early. The large drooping falls look almost like black velvet. .... \$4.00
- SNOWCREST**—(Gage 1932) 36". Sparkling snow white. .... \$ .75



- SUMMER SKY**—(Cleveland 1935) 32". Pale blue standards. White styles. Lovely. .... \$ .75
- TOWANDA RED FLARE**—(Scheffy 1948) 38". The newest "red," between Helen Astor and Eric the Red in tone. (Technically, amaranth). Large and flaring with wide segments. The earlier name, "Red Flare," was not available for registration. .... \$2.50
- TROPIC NIGHT**—(Morgan 1937) 36". Very rich deep purple blue. Large and handsome. .... \$2.00

- TUNKHANNOCK**—(Scheffy) 38". Largest white, tall and flaring. A fit companion for Tycoon. .... \$2.00
- TYCOON**—(Cleveland 1938) 34". Largest Siberian. Huge violet-blue, broad-petalled and satiny. .... \$2.00
- ZERITA**—(Scheffy 1948) 36". Type of Zest but with larger, taller flowers. The center glow of the prominent rose-red styles makes the clumps outstanding. .... \$4.00
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# SPURIA IRIS

These are beardless iris which resemble, in appearance, the bulbous Dutch and Spanish type. Their season of blooming follows that of the tall-bearded and Siberian. Altho slower to increase than these they are quite dependable, distinctive and beautiful.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Spuria iris will be shipped only after September first and the minimum acceptable order is \$2 unless order includes other plants to be shipped at the same time.

## LIST OF SPURIA IRIS

- GOLD NUGGET**—(Milliken) 4 ft. Very popular free-flowering bright yellow. .... \$1.00
- HAZY HILLS**—(Washington 1931) 4 ft. Standards, deep blue; falls, hazy blue with gold flush. Brilliant yellow signal patch and throat. .... \$3.50
- LORD WOLSELY**—(Barr 1899) 4 ft. Deep blue purple with yellow signal patch. .... \$1.00
- MT. WILSON**—(Milliken) 3 ft. An excellent blue which is beautiful planted in front of Gold Nugget. .... \$1.00
- MRS. TAIT**—(Farr 1912) 3½ ft. Exquisite soft porcelain blue with a yellow signal patch. The earliest to flower. .... \$1.00
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- SHELFORD GIANT**—(Foster 1913) 4½ ft. Creamy white with a rich yellow area on each fall. Huge flowers of thicker substance and more flaring form than Ochroleuca, which is often sold under this name. The true stock is hard to find. .... \$1.50



SHELFORD GIANT

- SUNNY DAY**—(H. Sass 1931) 4½ ft. Tall gleaming yellow. Very fine. .... \$1.50

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We are offering, this year, two of the most easily grown and hardy hybrids of Louisiana iris. They have been tested for hardiness in northern sections as far as New England and Chicago, and afford an opportunity to experiment with this interesting type of beardless iris at low cost. Their blooming season follows that of the tall-bearded and they make a beautiful display in the garden besides furnishing excellent flowers for cutting.

Shipped in September with other beardless types or daylilies.

- DOROTHEA K. WILLIAMSON**—(Wmsn. 1918) 30". Large velvety vivid purple. \$ .75
- MARY LOVE**—(Wash. 1931) 36". Pinkish lavender-orchid of fine color and form. .... \$1.00



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There are two very excellent and recently published books on the subject of Iris, which we can enthusiastically recommend. As a service to our customers, we'll be glad to act as the source of supply if you wish to order one or both. They are:—

### **THE IRIS—AN IDEAL HARDY PERENNIAL**

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Everyone who loves Iris will enjoy this book by Sydney B. Mitchell, the well-known Californian who pioneered the earlier development of the large yellow tall-bearded iris and whose experience covers nearly half a century. Much space is given to the beardless types, some of which can be grown successfully outside California, and there are numerous excellent line drawings in addition to color plate illustrations. 224 pages 5½"x8". Cloth-bound \$3.

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# DAYLILIES

## Fated Flowers of the Future

Hemerocallis, commonly called daylilies, altho far from new, are undergoing a period of development which will unquestionably destine these waxen, fragrant, lily-like flowers to the status of most important summer perennial.

Adaptable to the climate of Maine or California, Canada or Cuba; to soil of sand or clay; acid or alkaline; unaffected by insects or diseases; growing stronger and more beautiful through the years; easy to plant and to grow; no other perennial can approach the dependability of this remarkable flower.

Poised on graceful, wirey stems two to five feet tall, are blooms from two to eight inches in diameter, depending on variety, in colors of yellow, from palest lemon to deepest golden; tan; pink; rose; red; brown; maroon or purple.

The name "hemerocallis" means "beautiful for a day" because each day produces a fresh set of blooms, frilled; fluted; powdered with gold dust; decorated with distinctive markings; clear-toned or overcast with dusky halos; and continues with this profuse succession of bloom for a solid month—one of the hot summer months at that.

By choosing varieties having different seasons of blooming you can enjoy daylilies from iris time till frost. In our climate, and farther south, early varieties often repeat in late Fall.

Besides their incomparable garden value they also serve beautifully as cut-flowers, by themselves or in a mixed bouquet. Some varieties have a very pleasing fragrance too.

As with iris, the plants we furnish are freshly dug, strong divisions that will not disappoint.

Date of flowering, as noted, refers to performance in our climate, where the roadside lily "FULVA," begins to bloom about the middle of June.

We have indicated the varieties whose foliage remains green until blasted by winter's cold. These evergreen varieties are best suited to milder climates, being more susceptible to winter damage than the deciduous types whose nature is to become dormant upon the approach of winter. However, many of the so-called evergreen varieties are grown in the north without serious difficulty.

The increasing popularity of daylilies has tempted some growers to commercialize un-named seedlings or to name and list large numbers of seedlings of questionable merit. Our list includes only named varieties of proven quality.

**PLEASE NOTE:** We do not ship daylilies until late summer. Our shipping season for daylilies begins the last week in August and continues until November 1st. The minimum order \$2.00 please, unless you include other plants which are to be shipped at the same time.

## DAYLILY LIST

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| <p><b>ACRES OF GOLD</b>—(Russell 1942) Bright non-fading medium yellow 5" dia. Slightly ruffled. June-July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .75</p>   | <p><b>AUGUST PIONEER</b>—(Stout 1939) Chrome orange with red flush on petals. Medium sized flowers in profusion. Late. August-Sept. 3 ft. .... \$ .75</p>  |
| <p><b>AFTERGLOW</b>—(Stout) Charming waxy pastel of pale buff with a hint of pink which becomes more pronounced in throat and mid-vein. July. 3½ ft. \$2.50</p>  | <p><b>AUTUMN PRINCE</b>—(Stout 1940) Small yellow flowers profusely produced on tall stalks. The latest to bloom. Aug.-Sept. 4 ft. .... \$3.00</p>   |
| <p><b>AMARYLLIS</b>—(Betscher 1932) Large golden yellow with recurving petals. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .50</p>  | <p><b>AUTUMN RED</b>—(Nesmith 1941) Very handsome, rich velvety red, technically, Vandyke red flushed Nopal red. Blooms long and late in New England, where it originated. Here it blooms in July. 3 ft. .... \$1.00</p> |
| <p><b>AMULET</b>—(Nesmith 1940) New ruffled pink. Light Chinese coral, delicately flushed azalea pink in center of petals and with a darker pink zone in the throat. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$1.50</p> | <p><b>BAGDAD</b>—(Stout 1935) Brilliant Oriental tones of reddish brown with orange throat and mid-lines. Flashy 5" flowers, very attractive. June-July. 4 ft. .... \$ .50</p>   |
| <p><b>ANNA BETSCHER</b>—(Betscher 1930) Deep orange yellow shaded reddish bronze. July. 3 ft. .... \$ .50</p>  | <p><b>BALLET DANCER</b>—(Nesmith 1946) Smoothly finished full flowers between buff-pink and grenadine-pink which give a very pink effect in the garden. July. 3 ft. .... \$5.00</p>                                      |
| <p><b>AUGUST ORANGE</b>—(Stout 1946) A profusion of small, richly-colored orange blooms on a heavily branched and vigorous plant. August. 3 ft. .... \$3.00</p>  |  |





AMULET

**BALTIMORE BELLE** (Nesmith 1948)

Rosy pink effect. Technically, Orient-pink with deeper jasper-pink halo just above the creamy yellow throat. Rather large open flowers. July. 4 ft. \$4.50

**BARDELEY** — (Perry 1932) Large open flower of distinct shade of orange-apricot. July. 4 ft. \$ .40

**BARONET** — (Stout) Brick red with orange throat. A lively early-flowering red of medium size. Stays open evenings. June. 2½ ft. Evergreen..... \$1.00

**BEACON**—(Betscher 1940) Waxy trumpet-shaped flower of brilliant orange. July. 3½ ft. \$1.00

**BIJOU**—(Stout 1935) Orange, overcast with rich fulvous red. Hybrid of multi-flora parentage which produces a profusion of 3" flowers. June-July. 2½ ft. \$ .75

**BLACKBURNIAN** — (Nesmith 1943) Indian red overflushed mahogany-purple with star-shaped orange cup. Recurving form. July 3 ft. \$3.00

**BLACK CHERRY**—(Douglas 1945) Rich unfading black-red that stands out. Medium size flowers beautifully formed, with recurving petals and sepals. July. 3 ft. \$3.00

**BLACK EMPEROR**—(Russell 1945) 5 inch dark red with deep-yellow throat. June-July. 4 ft. \$2.00

**BLACK FALCON**—(Nesmith 1941) Extremely dark daylily with only a shallow cup of pale canary. Large, open and wavy at the edges. July. 3 ft. \$5.00

**BLACK PRINCE** — (Russell 1942) Deep blackish red, very rich and impressive. Small cup of deep yellow. Wide segments. 5" bloom opens full. June-July. 3½ ft. \$2.50

**BLOODROOT**—(Nesmith 1946) Most brilliant scarlet self with velvety finish and inconspicuous yellow throat. July. 3 ft. \$9.00

**BOLD COURTIER**—(Nesmith 1939) Broad rose petals with a creamy mid-line. Soft yellow sepals strongly recurved and slightly flushed rose. Exceptionally beautiful bi-color. June-July. 3½ ft. \$3.00

**BOLD WARRIOR**—(Emigholz 1943) Broad overlapping petals of yellow overlaid Brazil red; the sepals only slightly flushed Brazil red. Well formed. 5" dia. July. 4 ft. \$1.50

**BOUNTIFUL** — (Cook 1943) Wide-petalled lemon yellow seedling from Hyperion. Large, nicely formed and sun-resistant. July. 3 ft. \$1.25

**BOUTONNIERE** — (Stout 1939) Myriads of small (2½") flowers with widely overlapping segments, the sepals clear yellow and the petals light rosy peach with lighter mid-stripe. Late. August. 3 ft. \$ .50

**BRAVE WARRIOR**—(Nesmith 1946) Glowing ox-blood red with overflush of bordeaux on the wide petals. July. 3½ ft. \$4.50

**BRICK ROSE**—(Emigholz 1943) Medium size flower of terra-cotta with rose undertone. Yellow throat. June-July. 3½ ft. \$1.50



AUTUMN RED



**BURMAH**—(Nesmith 1937) Orange overlaid with rose-copper. 5" blooms. Rated a late bloomer but flowers in July here. 3 ft. .... \$1.00

**BYNG OF VIMY**—(Perry 1931) Very large pale orange-rose with slender, curling segments. Yellow throat. July. 4 ft. .... \$1.00

**CABALLERO**—(Stout 1941) A clear-cut brilliant bi-color. Petals, vermillion red. Sepals and throat golden yellow. June-July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.00

**CALYPSO**—(Burbank 1918) Light lemon-yellow night bloomer. Large and pleasantly fragrant. July 3½ ft. .... \$ .40

**CANARI**—(Nesmith 1940) Satiny finished palest canary yellow of beautiful form and excellent branching. 5" dia. June-July. 4 ft. .... \$3.00

**CARISSIMA**—(Nesmith 1945) Charming pale salmon pink enhanced by a deeper pink halo in the heart. Glistening velum-like texture. 4" dia. Very small green-yellow cup and no mid-lines. July. 3½ ft. .... \$6.00

**CHENG TU**—(Species) Coppery orange-red with velvety carmine mid-zone. Recurved 4½" flower. This is the most attractive and unusual of hemerocallis species with the exception of Fulva Rosea. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. \$ .50

**CHETKINS**—(V. Christenson 1946) Velvety copper orange, very luminous. Gold throat. Medium size. July. 4 ft. \$5.00

**CHIEF CHEROKEE**—(Nesmith 1945) Deep brown-red, the petals velvety and darker with no mid-lines. Orange cup. Floriferous and vigorous. July. 3½ ft. \$5.00

**CHLOE**—(Nesmith 1938) Extremely broad-petalled yellow with burnt orange cast. Large, unusual and distinct. July. 3 ft. .... \$2.00

**CINNABAR**—(Stout 1930) Medium large glistening orange, sprinkled cinnamon. Recurving segments. July. 2½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .50

**COMET**—(Russell 1943) A fine bi-color. 6" flower with blended rose petals and soft yellow sepals. July. 3½ ft. .... \$2.00

**CONFUCIOUS**—(Bechtold 1943) Big brown-red of medium tone. Petals taper to a languid point. Plant is vigorous and well-branched. July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$2.00

**CORALLINE**—(Nesmith 1940) Light shrimp red. Maize mid-line. Late flowering in the east. July here. 3½ ft. \$2.00

**CRAEMORE HENNA**—(Plouf) Tan red of good size and form, blooming in early mid-season. June-July. 2½ ft. \$1.50

**CRESSIDA**—(Betscher 1929) This is the early-flowering tall bright saffron-yellow Cressida. May-June. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .50

**CROWN OF GOLD**—(Nesmith 1933) Large, early, orange-yellow blooming with the iris. May-June. 3 ft. .... \$ .75

**CRYSTAL PINK**—(Nesmith 1938) Large, tall and vigorous chamois colored day-lily with just a hint of pink. July. 3½ ft. .... \$2.50

**DAUNTLESS**—(Stout 1935) Pale yellowish orange with mid-zones delicately flushed with a fulvous touch. Wide, overlapping segments with fine substance. 5" flower. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. \$1.00

**DAWN GLOW**—(V. Christenson 1947) Large, well-formed flower of softly blended antique red and pale caramel. Small orange cup. Vigorous. July. 3½ ft. .... \$10.00

**DAWN PLAY**—(Nesmith 1938) Deep velvety rose with golden heart. A very rich and appealing shade. Slow-growing. July. 4 ft. .... \$4.00

**D. D. WYMAN**—(Betscher 1929) Golden-yellow with tawny flush. June-July. 3 ft. .... \$ .40

**DEMON**—(Russell 1943) Brilliant orange-mahogany mixture which remains open evenings and draws the eye like a magnet, 4" dia. June-July. 2½ ft. .... \$1.25

**DEVON CREAM**—(Nesmith 1945) Pale creamy yellow, thick and heavy-textured with wide petals that are beautifully fluted on the edge. June-July. 3 ft. .... \$6.00



DAUNTLESS





CANARI

**DOLLY VARDEN**—(Nesmith 1939) Open full flower of Chinese coral pink with lines of rose on petals and sepals blended into a creamy yellow throat. June-July. 3½ ft. ..... \$2.00

**DOMINION**—(Stout) Extra large full flowers of red in concentric three-toned pattern. Golden throat. Nice. June-July. 3 ft. ..... \$2.00

**DOROTHY McDADE**—(McDade 1939) Clean pure light yellow in a tubular-shaped 5" flower blooming late. Aug. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.00

**DOUBLOON**—(Nesmith 1945) Smooth, sleek, glistening, clear golden yellow. Broadly formed and extra large. July-Aug. 3½ ft. .... \$5.00

**DOVER**—(Betscher) Broad-petalled orange-cadmium. Fine orange-toned early mid-season variety. June-July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .50

**DR. REGEL**—(Yeld 1904) Low growing older variety valuable only because it blooms with the irises. Orange yellow reverse brown. May-June. 2 ft. .... \$ .40

**DRESDEN DOLL**—(Nesmith 1946) Soft cream background flushed salmon buff, crisp, firm and widely branched. June-July. 4 ft. .... \$3.00

**EARLIANA**—(Betscher) A golden-orange that blooms with the irises. Very fine. May-June. 3 ft. .... \$1.50

**EVANGELINE**—(Russell 1942) Rosy red with wine eye-zone. 5½" open type flower with twisty petals. June. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.00

**EVENSONG**—(Nesmith 1946) Heavy-textured chamois-buff night bloomer, the deepest toned in this class. Open, recurving form with rosy halo in throat. July. 3 ft. .... \$5.00

**FASCINATION**—(Hall 1948) Pleasing tone of medium yellow with prominent halo, very large and broad-petalled. Extra fine branching. July. 3½ ft. .... \$3.00

**FIRE FLAME**—(Nesmith 1944) Brilliant reddish-orange self which sets the garden on fire. 4½" broad-petalled flower on tall stalks. July. 3½ ft. .... \$2.00

**FLAMING GLORY**—(Emigholz 1946) Orange-chrome flushed with English red. Large flower with petals crinkled at the edge. July-Aug. .... \$2.00

**FLORE PLENO VIRGINICA**—(Species) A much finer double than Kwanso. More peach and rose mingling with the orange ground color, more complete and more uniform doubling, not so tall and blooms earlier. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$1.25

**FIRETHORN**—(Nesmith 1946) Multiflora type dragon's blood red with rich orange cup and red stamens. Medium size and ruffled. Aug. 3 ft. .... \$3.00

**FULVA ROSEA**—(Species) Most beautiful of the species, or natural hemerocallis, this is one of the loveliest pinks, a luscious, clear, scarlet-pink, on tall graceful stalks. June-July. 3½ ft. \$2.00

**GAIETY**—(Betscher) Wide open light lemon-yellow, large, wide-petalled and quite early. Tall, well-substantced and outstanding. June. 4 ft. .... \$1.00

**GAY DAY**—(Nesmith 1933) Soft yellow flowers with great substance and beauty on tall sturdy stalks. July. 3½ ft. .... \$1.00

**GAY TROUBADOUR**—(Nesmith 1941) Bright red petals with yellow mid-stripe. Maize-yellow sepals with a reddish suffusion. Large and colorful. 6" flower. June-July. 4 ft. .... \$2.50

**GEORGE KELSO**—(Traub) Soft light orange, suffused with bronze, featured by pronounced ruffling of the 5½" flowers. Vigorous. June-July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.00

**GEORGE YELD**—(Perry 1930) Large, recurving flowers of orange, the petals suffused with bronzy-apricot and brownish rose. Excellent. July. 3½ ft. \$ .40

**GLOAMING**—(Cook 1936) The yellow background is smoothly overcast with rose-purple. Large, open flowers of sparkling beauty. July. 3 ft. .... \$1.50

**GOLD COAST**—(Emigholz 1943) Broad petalled orange in 6" open type flower of thick substance. July. 4 ft. .... \$1.50

**GOLDEN DREAM**—(Betscher) Clean golden-orange of medium size, recurving form and heavy substance. July. 3½ ft. .... \$ .75

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**GOLDEN GRAIN**—(Nesmith 1944) Large light yellow with green cup. Ruffled flowers of firm texture. Tall and well-branched. July. 4 ft. .... \$2.00

**GOLDEN SCEPTER**—(Nesmith 1939) Early orange-toned medium-sized flower (4½") of heavy substance, blooming profusely. June. 4 ft. .... \$ .75

**GOLDEN WEST**—(Sass 1933) Heavy, waxy flowers of bright yellow. Extra fine. July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .75

**GRANADA**—(Traub) A tan and brown of charming individuality. Deeper and handsomer than Bagdad and one of the few real browns, smooth and glistening. June-July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.50

**GYPSY**—(Betscher 1929) Glistening deep orange with intensifying reddish under-cast. July. 2½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .40

**HANKOW**—(Species) Large rich yellowish orange with bold scarlet eye-zone in petals. Farther north it blooms into September. A lusty grower which is grown near Hankow, China, for food and medicine. July-Aug. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .75

**HARVEST MOON**—(Betscher 1929) Medium petalled 5" flower of orange-sherbet coloring, fluted and recurved. June-July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .50

**HER GRACE**—(Nesmith 1944) Wide petalled, firm-substanced bloom of Martius yellow, which is a pale lemony color. The 4½" bloom has a green cup and is lightly ruffled. July. 3½ ft. \$2.50

**HESPERUS**—(H. Sass 1940) Magnificent lemon-chrome. Large and tall with splendid form and substance. July. 4 ft. .... \$1.50

**HIGHLAND CHIEFTAIN**—(Nesmith 1940) A 5" tubular shaped bloom, wine colored with greenish yellow throat. July. 4 ft. .... \$2.00



HESPERUS

**HONEY REDHEAD**—(Nesmith 1942) Open, flaring, bright yet velvety red with distinct border of creamy yellow. July. 3 ft. .... \$2.00

**HYPERION**—(Mead 1930) Large, waxy, soft canary-yellow. A superior daylily in size, form, color and substance. July 3½ ft. .... \$ .50

**IMPERATOR**—(Perry 1930) Large, open star-shaped flower of orange-red with yellow throat and mid-lines. July. 4 ft. .... \$ .40

**INDIANOLA**—(Russell 1943) Glossy brown-red with orange throat. Lots of 4" blooms on tall stalks. June-July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.50

**IRIS PERRY**—(Perry 1932) Large, open, glistening orange overlaid with bronze. July-Aug. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .50

**J. A. CRAWFORD**—(Betscher 1929) Large, brilliant apricot yellow, slightly fluted and crimped. Excellent substance, tall and vigorous. June-July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .40

**J. R. MANN**—(Betscher 1929) Large, soft buff-orange with a frosty sheen. June-July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .50

**J. S. GAYNOR**—(Yeld 1928) Lovely fragrant waxy flowers of orange-apricot. July-Aug. 3 ft. .... \$ .75

**KANAPAHA**—(Watkins) A color jewel of clear cardinal red without midrib, eye-zone or throat of lighter color to disturb its harmony. Flowers and petallage medium wide. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$5.00

**KILLARNEY LASS**—(Nesmith 1944) The center of the flaring petals is bright geranium pink, bordered by soft flesh pink. The sepals are flesh pink. A captivating bright pink effect. July. 3 ft. .... \$8.00

**KWANSO**—(Species) Vivid reddish-orange double, tall and vigorous. July-Aug. 4½ ft. .... \$ .40



LINDA



- LEMONA**—(Betscher 1928) Pale lemon-yellow trumpet-shaped daylily. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$ .40
- LEMON KING**—(Betscher) Lemon yellow with fluted, waxy petals. Early mid-season bloomer. June-July. 3 ft. .... \$ .40
- LINDA**—(Stout 1937) 5" bloom with very crinkled petals of creamy yellow with rose markings, the sepals creamy yellow. July. 3½ ft. .... \$ .75
- LUSTROUS**—(Nesmith 1942) 5" flower in a very pretty tone of pinkish-red. Orange throat. June-July. 3½ ft. \$3.00
- MACULATA**—(Species) Blended soft yellow and copper with pink tone in the center. Very large and tall. July-Aug. 4 ft. .... \$ .40
- MAMIE LAKE**—(Russell) 6" blooms with medium wide rosy petals and lemon yellow sepals. July. 3½ ft. \$1.50
- MARCUS**—(Perry 1932) Large, crinkled flower of apricot, dusted over with soft bronze. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$ .50
- MARGARET**—(Cook 1943) Large, broad-petalled, waxy smooth flower in a soft, mellow, light buff-yellow from throat to petal tip. July 3½ ft. .... \$2.00
- MARGARET PERRY**—(Perry 1925) Brilliant orange-red with yellow throat and midlines. Free-flowering and tall. July-Aug. 4 ft. .... \$ .40
- MARY GUENTHER**—(Russell) Contrasty bi-color, the petals almost carmine-red, the sepals clear yellow. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$2.00
- MATADOR**—(Nesmith 1940) This is our idea of a "quality" daylily, bright rich mahogany, dazzling and velvety with no disfiguring markings. 4½" full cup-shaped flower with orange throat. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$1.50

\$3.50 DAYLILY COLLECTION

10 daylilies, 5 from from each column

All 34—\$11.50

- |              |                    |
|--------------|--------------------|
| 5 of these   | plus 5 of these    |
| Amaryllis    | Calypso            |
| Bagdad       | D. D. Wyman        |
| Chengtu      | Geo. Yeld          |
| Cinnabar     | Gold Dust          |
| Cressida     | Gypsy              |
| Dover        | Imperator          |
| Harvest Moon | J. A. Crawford     |
| Hyperion     | Maculata           |
| Iris Perry   | Kwanso             |
| Marcus       | Margaret Perry     |
| Modesty      | Mikado             |
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| Vesta        | Sir Michael Foster |
| Woodlot Gold | Sunny West         |
| Winsome      | Thunbergi          |

Add 50c toward shipping costs and we'll include your choice of Autumn Red, Golden Scepter, Golden West or Sonny.



MISSION BELLS

- MAY SADLER**—(Perry 1933) Perry thought this an improvement on his previous "reds," Margaret Perry and Imperator. The colors are deeper and richer but the stature and vigor are inferior. July. 2½ ft. .... \$ .50
- MEADOWGOLD**—(Hall 1948) Charmingly formed, broad petalled, widely open, flaring flowers of deep golden yellow. July. 3 ft. .... \$4.00
- MEZZOTINT**—(Emigholz 1946) Saffron-yellow, shaded deeper at the throat with faint fulvous overcast, a color reminding of Gypsy. But this one is large and tall. July-Aug. 3½ ft. .... \$2.50
- MIDAS**—(Stout 1935) Medium-size (4") glowing orange of good form and color on tall, strong erect scapes. June-July. 3½ ft ..... \$ .75
- MIKADO**—(Stout 1930) Mellow orange with conspicuous spot of mahogany on each petal. An old favorite probably the most popular of all the Stout daylilies. June-July and repeats in the fall here. 3 ft. .... \$ .40

- MINUET**—(Nesmith 1941) Subtle blend of frosty pink, shadowed deeper rose on both petals and sepals, giving a rosy pink effect and more the tone of Fulva Rosea than any other of the Nesmith pinks. Lovely when planted with yellows. 4½" flower. July. 3½ ft..... \$2.50
- MISSION BELLS**—(Hall 1945) Large, wide-petalled and ruffled medium yellow, one of the very best. July. 4 ft. .... \$3.00

- MODESTY**—(Betscher 1929) Large, waxy pale yellow which blooms early. June. 3 ft. .... \$ .50
- MONARCH**—(Stout 1941) Medium-sized (4") broad-petalled light cadmium yellow with delicate halo of fulvous orange in mid-zone. Blooms early and remains open evenings. June. 3 ft. \$1.00
- MOONBEAM**—(Sass 1940) Pale soft yellow in a 5" firmly substandard flower on very tall stalks. July. 5 ft. .... \$1.00





NORTH STAR

**MOONRAY**—(Nesmith 1940) Pale yellow with segments waved, recurved and widely flaring. A clear-cut one-eighth inch reddish V on each petal. Unusual, dainty and charming 3½" flower. July. 3 ft. .... \$1.50

**MOROCCO RED**—(Nesmith 1940) Fine brown-red self of even tone extending to the heart leaving only a shallow orange cup. July. 3 ft. .... \$4.00

**MRS. A. H. AUSTIN**—(Betscher 1929) Especially fine, thick-textured, deep golden yellow. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .40

**MRS. B. F. BONNER**—(Russell 1942) The color of Hyperion but claimed to be larger and finer. June-July. 2½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.50

**MRS. CHAS. F. URSHELL**—(Russell 1943) Full-flowered, firm-substanced, medium yellow 4½" in diameter. \$ .50

**MRS. HUGH JOHNSON**—(Russell 1942) Reep red, rich and glowing, 5" in diameter with wide segments and shallow orange cup. Non-fading and remains open evenings. A very lovely daylily. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$1.50

**MRS. JOHN J. TIGERT**—(Watkins) Brilliant coppery red of large size, with yellow throat, a hardy, deciduous variety developed at the University of Florida. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$1.50

**MRS. W. H. WYMAN**—(Betscher 1929) Glistening light yellow, one of the last to bloom. July-Aug. 4 ft. .... \$ .50

**MULTIFLORA**—(Species) Small yellow flowers borne in clusters on slender, wirey stems. Very late, in some sections blooming till frost. Aug.-Sept. 2 ft. .... \$1.00

**MYSTIC MOON**—(Nesmith 1947) Very pale yellow night-bloomer. Broad-petalled, firm-substanced flowers of full flaring form, ruffled at the edges. July. 3½ ft. .... \$5.00

**NEBRASKA**—(Sass 1937) Large mellow, buff-yellow of high quality as are all the Sass daylilies. 5½" flower. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$ .75

**NOCERENSIS**—(Italy) Open, ruffled flower of clear canary yellow with smooth waxy finish. July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .50

**NORTH STAR**—(Hall 1946) Very pale yellow in a large open flower of attractive grace and finish. Excellent substance. July-Aug. 3 ft. .... \$5.00

**OLD TAPESTRY**—(Emigholz 1943) Petals are light dragon's blood red with buff edge. Sepals, paler. Yellow throat. A velvety brownish rose 4½" dia. July. 3½ ft. .... \$1.00

**OPHIR**—(Farr 1924) Large deep yellow, one of the outstanding older varieties. 5" heavy textured flowers. Very floriferous. July. 4½ ft. .... \$ .40

**ORANGE BEAUTY**—(H. P. Sass 1944) Large broad-petalled orange self 5½" dia. Very fragrant. One of the best. July 3½ ft. .... \$8.00

**PAINTED LADY**—(Russell 1942) A coppery terra-cotta of great distinction. Very large (8") full-petalled, wide-open and charmingly ruffled. Outstanding. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$5.00

**PATRICIA**—(Stout 1935) Lovely pale lemon yellow with greenish throat. A cool, fresh-looking, weather-resistant waxy flower 5" in diameter and having pronounced fragrance. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .75

**PEPPERMINT**—(G. Douglas 1948) The large, open flowers have a pale cream mid-rib which contrasts, pleasingly, with the pink body-color. Well-branched and tall. July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$6.00

**PERSIAN PRINCESS**—(Nesmith 1938) Velvety blackish red flower 5" in diameter and with broad petals that stand the sun well. Orange throat. July. 4 ft. .... \$2.00

**PINK CHARM**—(Nesmith 1940) Very recurved open flower of ruddy pink giving a deep coral pink effect. 4½" dia. with shallow green-yellow throat and inconspicuous midline. July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$2.50



ORANGE BEAUTY





PAINTED LADY

**PORCELAIN PINK**—(Nesmith 1945) Luminous and very smoothly finished pink with light peach background gaily marked with deeper pink. 5" dia. Medium wide petals. July. 3½ ft. \$5.00

**POTENTATE**—(Nesmith 1943) Luminous purple, smooth and satiny, the color extending deep into the throat and including stamens and pistil. Outstanding. July. 3½ ft. \$10.00

**PORT**—(Stout) Rich red, slightly darker in mid-zone. Greenish throat. Medium size but brilliant. Remains open evenings. July. 2½ ft. \$1.50

**PURPLE DUSK**—(Nesmith 1947) Dark red-purple, (oxblood) with no other color showing in the throat. Large, full-petalled and late. July-Aug. 3½ ft. \$5.00

**PURPLE MOOR**—(Nesmith 1942) Glistering dahlia-purple with a yellow gilding in the center of the bloom. June-July. 3½ ft. \$3.00

**PURPLE SAGE**—(Russell 1942) Very crinkled brownish wine with satiny sheen and green-yellow throat. 5" flower with medium broad petals. June-July. 3½ ft. \$2.00

**PURPLE WATERS**—(Russell 1942) Rosy wine-red, very recurved. A 5" flower with broad petals and lemon yellow throat. June-July. 3½ ft. \$1.50

**RADIANT**—(Yeld 1930) Clear pure orange of extra fine substance and texture. Smooth and waxy. July-Aug. 4 ft. \$ .40

**RAJAH**—(Stout 1935) Vivid nasturtium-colored coloring, scarlet-orange with garnet-brown eye zone. A flashy flower you will like. July-Aug. 3½ ft. \$ .50

**RED BIRD**—(Stout 1941) Distinctive rosy blood-red of great appeal. Deeper mid-zone, green-yellow throat. Medium large, petals recurved and semi-full. A lovely daylily. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. \$3.00

**RED CINDERELLA**—(Russell 1945) Bright red, clear and attractive. One of the better Russell reds. July. 3 ft. Evergreen. \$1.50

**RED HUSSAR**—(Nesmith 1943) Between carmine and ox-blood red with orange cup. 5" dia. Segments medium wide. June-July. 3½ ft. \$3.00

**REDMAN**—(Hayward) Clean red-orange self. A 5½" flower with medium wide segments. June-July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. \$ .75

**RED RIOT**—(Russell 1944) Colorful orange red with orange cup and midlines. Medium width flower, (5½") and segments. June-July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. \$1.00

**REGAL LADY**—(Nesmith 1941) Rose-red petals with yellow midline. Yellow sepals, flushed rose, green-yellow throat. 4" flower. June-July. 4 ft. \$2.00

**RIVIERA**—(Emigholz 1946) Lovely apricot-orange in a widely opened 5" flower with broad, fluted petals. June-July. 4 ft. \$2.00

**ROSE REVERIE**—(V. Christenson 1946) Red banana color with crimped petals and narrow cream edge on sepals. Throat yellow. A charming, large-flowered daylily. July. 3½ ft. \$10.00

**ROUGE VERMILLION**—(Traub) Bright red, as indicated by its name. Petals rather narrow but the color is attractive. July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. \$5.00

**ROYALTY**—(Nesmith 1940) Large open flower of velvety deep maroon, with broad petals and sepals, the color extending down into the throat. July. 3½ ft. \$2.50

**ROYAL RUBY**—(Nesmith 1942) Smoothly finished almost crimson self of glowing intensity, the color carried into the throat. July. 3 ft. \$5.00



PURPLE WATERS



- RUBY SUPREME**—(Wheeler 1940) An outstanding red, antique ruby in color, throat greenish gold, and narrow gold midline. Vigorous plant. Flower is 5½" with wide petals. July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$3.00
- SACHEM**—(Stout 1941) An early rich deep red, near carmine. Flower 4½" to 5" with wide, very recurved petals and greenish orange throat. June-July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .75
- SALADIN**—(Stevens 1947) A clear-toned shade of near-cherry red without any yellow or dusky accompaniment. Moderately large, smooth, satiny, wide-open flowers. An outstanding red. July. 3 ft. .... \$6.00
- SERENADE**—(Stout 1937) Pale yellow with a pinkish flush, the petals twisted and crinkled. Green throat. Medium size (4") delicately colored variety on tall stems, blooming early. June-July. 4 ft. .... \$1.00
- SHADOW ROSE**—(Nesmith 1945) Firm, compact flower of rosy pink shadowed deep rose in the center. July. 3½ ft. .... \$4.00
- SIR MICHAEL FOSTER**—Large apricot yellow with broad ruffled petals blooming quite early. Vigorous plant. June-July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .40
- SIRIUS**—(Yeld 1930) Wide, funnel-shaped flowers of light orange with purplish overflush at the throat. The reflexed petals have wavy margins. June-July. 2½ ft. .... \$ .50
- SONNY**—(Stout 1935) Pale yellow of unusual charm with thick, firm, weather-resistant substance. July. 3 ft. .... \$1.00
- SOUDAN**—(Stout) Medium large, (4½") empire yellow, very full and recurved, with broad creped and crinkled petals and sepals. June-July. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.00
- STALWART**—(Cook 1935) Soft gold, overflushed purplish brown. Large flowers with recurved petals, weather-resistant, tall and floriferous. July. 3½ ft. .... \$ .50
- STARLIGHT**—(Nesmith) Fine early mid-season pale creamy yellow, large, (6") broad-petalled, thick-substanced and lightly ruffled. June-July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$2.00
- STAR OF GOLD**—(Sass) Very large, (7") star-like flower of waxy light yellow. Has been slow here. July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.00
- SU-LIN**—(Nesmith 1941) The coloring is delicate and unusual. Petals are pale mauve or orchid pink; sepals, light yellow. Medium size, open and flaring. July. 3 ft. .... \$4.00
- SUNNY WEST**—(Sass 1933) Large, pale canary-yellow night-flowering variety of wax-like substance. July-Aug. 4 ft. .... \$ .40
- SUPREME**—(Russell 1941) Nice early mid-season light medium yellow. Medium wide petals on a 5" flower. Both sepals and petals very twisty. June. 3½ ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.00
- SWEETBRIAR**—(Nesmith 1938) Large deep pink with yellow throat and mid-lines. Perfectly formed and lustrous. July. 3½ ft. .... \$2.00
- TAPERLIGHT**—(Nesmith 1947) Because of its tall lush green foliage this large-flowered pale yellow is rated especially good for the front of the border. July. 3 ft. .... \$2.00
- TARA**—(Nesmith 1940) Flaring rose red of fine form and profusion of bloom. July. 3½ ft. .... \$2.00
- TEJAS**—(Russell 1945) Fiery rich red with orange throat in a 4" recurving flower with medium wide petals. June. 3 ft. .... \$1.50
- TEMPLE FIRE**—(Emigholz 1943) Medium toned orange-red with orange cup and no mid-lines. A 6" broad-petalled flower, the best we list from this hybridizer. July. 3½ ft. .... \$2.50
- THERON**—(Stout 1934) Deep, dark, red-purple with pale orange throat, the petals somewhat twisty near the tips. A startling contrast to the usual yellows associated with daylilies. June-July. 3 ft. .... \$1.00
- THE SULTAN**—(Nesmith 1944) Deep mahogany red with orange throat. Broad-petalled compact flower. June-July. 3 ft. .... \$5.00

### \$15 DAYLILY COLLECTION (All 19—\$34)

#### 3 of these:

Fascination  
Firethorn  
Purple Moor  
Red Bird  
Red Hussar  
Ruby Supreme

#### Plus 2 of these:

Black Prince  
Gay Troubadour  
Her Grace  
Minuet  
Temple Fire

#### Plus 3 of these:

Coralline  
Fire Flame  
Golden Grain  
Highland Chieftain  
Honey Redhead  
Mary Guenther  
Persian Princess  
Regal Lady

For another \$1 toward the cost of digging, packing or mailing we'll add one of these: Crystal Pink, Fulva Rosea, Minuet or Pink Charm. We may have to substitute here but will try to adhere to your preference.





VALIANT

**THOROBRED**—(Nesmith 1941) Large lily-like flowers of rich red. June-July. 3 ft. .... \$4.00

**THUNBERGI**—Fragrant, night-flowering pale yellow. July. 3 ft. .... \$ .40

**THUNDERHEAD**—(Nesmith 1948) A dark red self with lustrous sheen and a blackish flush with small amount of deep yellow in the throat. Moderately large, fully open flowers on well-branched stalk. .... \$8.00

**TOKAY**—(Nesmith 1943) Salmon with deeper pink zone. 4" dia. with medium wide petals. Pale yellow throat and midlines. July. 4 ft. .... \$2.50

**TOMESHA**—(Russell 1943) Brown-orange blend which has not bloomed well here. A 5" flower with medium wide petals. June-July. 3 ft. .... \$ .50

**TWILIGHT**—(Nesmith 1944) Pale lemon-yellow trumpet-shaped flower 4½" in dia. Night-bloomer. June-July. 3 ft. .... \$2.50

**VALIANT**—(Cook 1943) Gorgeous, massive, glowing orange. Wide segments, waved and crimped. Texture and substance unsurpassed. July. 3½ ft. \$6.00

**VESTA**—(Stout 1930) Deep orange with glistening golden sheen. Broad, overlapping petals. Semi-dwarf habit for front planting. July. 2½ ft. Evergreen. \$ .50

**VICTORIA**—(Wheeler 1946) Purplish old rose in a flat flaring flower of considerable charm. July. 3 ft. .... \$7.50

**VULCAN**—(Stout 1937) Even-toned light velvety maroon with faint golden brown midlines and orange throat, overlaid red. Medium sized (5") flower with medium wide segments. June-July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$1.00

**WAR PATH**—(Russell 1942) Very rich, bright red, with satiny sheen. 4¾" flower. June-July. 3½ ft. .... \$1.50

**WHITE LADY**—(Sass) Tall pale yellow of good size. July. 4 ft. .... \$ .75

**WAU-BUN**—(Stout 1930) Soft cadmium yellow, faintly sprinkled fulvous red. The broad petals are distinctively twisted at the outer ends. June-July. 3 ft. Evergreen. .... \$ .75

**WINSOME**—(Yeld 1929) Fragrant creamy yellow. A charming early variety, closely following tall-bearded iris. Medium size. June. 3 ft. .... \$ .40

**WOLOF**—(Stout 1937) Large velvety maroon with light yellow midline and orange throat, 5" in diameter. July. 4 ft. Evergreen. .... \$2.00

**WOOD LOT GOLD**—(Cleveland 1934) Large crinkled light yellow which blooms profusely. June-July. 3 ft. \$ .50

**ZOUAVE**—(Stout 1941) Petals rich fulvous red with darker mid-zone. Sepals lighter. This two-toned red blooms early and repeats in the fall here. Remains open evenings. Medium sized, much branched. June. 3 ft. Evergreen. \$1.00

## \$5 DAYLILY COLLECTION

(All 19—\$13.50)

1 of these:

Amulet  
Matador  
Mrs. Hugh Johnson

Plus 3 of these:

Autumn Red  
Baronet  
Monarch  
Moonbeam  
Red Riot  
Sonny  
Supreme  
Zouave

Plus 3 of these:

Crown of Gold  
Golden Scepter  
Golden West  
Midas  
Nebraska  
Patricia  
Sachem  
Wau-Bun

Add \$1 to offset shipping costs and we'll include Persian Princess

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# Color Grouping of Tall Bearded Iris

## WHITE

Admiral Nimitz  
Alba Superba  
Arctic  
Cathedral Dome  
Chi-Yun  
Crystal Beauty  
Easter Morn  
Franconia  
Frosty Moon  
Gudrun  
Katherine Fay  
Lady Boscowen  
Mary E. Nicholls  
Matterhorn  
Mount Blanc  
Mount Cloud  
Mount Hermon  
Mount Washington  
Patricia  
Priscilla  
Purissima  
Sea Gull  
Sharkskin  
Silver Susie  
Snow Carnival  
Snow Flurry  
Snow King  
Snow Velvet  
Stella Polaris  
Sylvan Belle  
The Capitol  
Titian Lady  
Whistling Swan  
White City  
White Goddess  
White Wedgewood  
Winter Carnival

## WHITE GROUND PLICATA

Aladdin's Wish  
Aldura  
Bachelor Girl  
Blue Shimmer  
Claribel  
Florentine  
Gibson Girl  
Gypsy Baron  
Lady Naomi  
Lady of Shalott  
Los Angeles  
Love Affair  
Masked Ball  
Minnie Colquitt  
Mme. Louis Aureau  
Moonlit Sea  
Pretty Pansy  
Rose Top  
Sacramento  
San Francisco  
Seduction  
Snow Crystal  
Spring Cloud  
Theodolinda  
The Penguin  
Tieton  
Tip Top

## YELLOW GROUND PLICATA

Balmung  
Banded Beauty  
Coritica  
Cuban Carnival  
Daffy  
Firecracker  
Fire Dance  
Innovation  
Mount Timp  
Orloff  
Patrice  
Peachblow

Rodeo  
Royal Coach  
Royal Scot  
Ruth Pollock  
Siegfried  
Suzette  
Tiffanja  
Tiffany  
Vision of Mirza

## CREAM

Amandine  
Caroline Burr  
Cigarette  
Desert Song  
Golden Treasure  
Ivory Charm  
Kalinga  
Palos Verdes  
Snoqualmie  
Vision Fugitive  
Wm. Carey Jones

## YELLOW

Acadia  
Admiration  
Baghdad  
Berkeley Gold  
Buttercup Lane  
California Gold  
Cloth of Gold  
Coronado  
Dawn of Gold  
Elsa Sass  
Fair Elaine  
Francelia  
Glad Tidings  
Goldbeater  
Golden Eagle  
Golden Epaulets  
Golden Fleece  
Golden Glow  
Golden Hind  
Golden Majesty  
Golden Spangle  
Golden Spike  
Green Pastures  
Happy Days  
Illinois Sunshine  
Jasmania  
Jasmine  
Jelloway  
Klondyke Gold  
Lamplit Hour  
Late Sun  
Leading Lady  
Manavu  
Marion Vaughan  
Mattie Gates  
Mimosa Gold  
Ming Yellow  
Misty Gold  
Moonlight Madonna  
Moontide  
Nankeen  
New Era  
Noontide  
Ola Kala  
Orangeman  
Pale Primrose  
Penn Charter  
Pinnacle  
Souson  
Spun Gold  
Sunny Ruffles  
Tranquil Moon  
Tryptich  
Treasure Island  
Yellow Jewel  
Zantha

## YELLOW BLENDS

Brilliant Amber  
Brown Boy

Burmese Gold  
Capriccio  
Clara Noyes  
Coronet  
Dinah Shore  
Ella Callis  
Fiesta  
Fortune  
Gayoso  
Good News  
Invictus  
Lady Louise  
Lamplight  
Maiden Blush  
Marathon  
Mary Geddes  
May Day  
Mellowglow  
Midwest Gem  
Mirabelle  
Naranja  
Nightingale  
Orange Flame  
Prairie Sunset  
Prince of Orange  
Radiant  
Rocket  
Shishaldin  
Sonny Boy  
Spring Chimes  
Stardom  
Sundance  
Sunset Beam  
Sunset Serenade  
Token  
Tunisian Gold  
Vedette  
Wakarusa  
Woodland Beauty

## TAN & BROWN TONES

Amber Gem  
Aphra  
Argus Pheasant  
Autumn Leaf  
Bermuda Sand  
Bronze Brocade  
Brown Thrasher  
Buckskin  
Cape Bon  
Chamois  
Copper Crystal  
Far West  
Fortunes Favor  
Glen Ellen  
Golden Russet  
His Excellency  
Jean Cayeux  
Louvois  
Maple Sugar  
Nylon  
Old Parchment  
Oregon Trail  
Russet Mantle  
San Antone  
Satsuma  
Spokan  
Sukey of Salem  
Summer Tan  
Tobacco Road  
Tonga  
Voodoo  
Wild Honey

## COPPER TONES

Arab Chief  
Auburn  
Aztec Copper  
Bronzino  
Bryce Canyon  
Casa Morena  
Cascade Splendor  
Copper Lustre  
Copper River

General Patton  
Juliet  
Lockwood  
Melodist  
Samovar  
Sequatchie  
The Sentinel

## COPPER RED

Action Front  
Campfire Glow  
Charlie Gersdorff  
Copper Rose  
Cordovan  
E. B. Williamson  
Elkhart  
Flamely  
Fort Ticonderoga  
Jasper Agate  
Junaluska  
Kansas Ingleside  
Korea  
Marinella  
Sioux City Sue  
Stained Glass  
Sunset Blaze  
Veishea

## RED

Cheerio  
Christabel  
Color Sargent  
Damerine  
Display  
Drum Major  
Edward Lapham  
Flora Campbell  
Frank Pugliese  
Garden Flame  
Garden Magic  
Lights On  
Mary Ellen  
Michael Barton  
Orelia  
Piute  
Ranger  
Red Bonnet  
Red Gleam  
Red Majesty  
Redward  
Redwyne  
Relentless  
Solid Mahogany  
Top Sergeant

## ROSE RED

Anchorage  
Anna Gage  
Autumn Flame  
Avondale  
Burgundy Rose  
California Rose  
Charm  
Depute Nomblot  
Dubrovink  
Gypsy Rose  
Indian Chief  
Iowa Maid  
Kentucky Beauty  
Legend  
Lighthouse  
Matula  
Miobelle  
Pagan Princess  
Red Amber  
Rose Dominion  
Rosy Wings  
War Eagle  
Worthington

## PURPLE RED & RED PURPLE

Apex  
Bright Melody



Captain Wells  
Claret Velvet  
Dauntless  
Deep Velvet  
Directeur Pinelle  
Ethel Peckham  
Gallant Leader  
Garden Glory  
Glowport  
Joycette  
Miriam Corey  
October Blaze  
Red Dominion  
Red Valor  
Rubient  
Starless Night  
The Red Douglas  
Vice Regal  
Winston Churchill

## ROSE PINK

Alastor  
Alpine Glow  
Anna Williamson  
Arethusa  
Carousel  
Elmohr  
Frieda Mohr  
Inspiration  
Miss California  
Monadnock  
Mulberry Rose  
Painted Desert  
Regency Rose  
Roseland  
Rose Splendor  
Tapestry Rose

## PINK BLENDS

Alona  
Amitola  
Angelus  
At Dawning  
Aubanel  
Aurora Dawn  
Autumn Sunset  
Bertha Gersdorff  
Briarwood  
Buffawn  
California Peach  
China Maid  
Copper Pink  
Coral Mist  
Daybreak  
Dreamcastle  
Easter Bonnet  
Elizabeth Ann  
El Morocco  
Eros  
Far Hills  
Frvolite  
Hoosier Sunrise  
Idanha  
Lancaster  
Leilani  
L. Merton Gage  
Lori May  
Lynn Langford  
Majenica  
Mandalay  
Melanie  
Melitza  
Michael  
Morocco Rose  
Mrs. Willard Jacques  
Nancy Hardison  
Ned Lefevre  
Noweta  
Pathfinder  
Peach Glow

Pink Bountiful  
Pink Marvel  
Pink Reflection  
Pink Ruffles  
Remembrance  
Rilla Gabbert  
Rising Sun  
Rosario  
Salamonie  
Salar  
Salmon Splendor  
Shannopin  
Show Girl  
Sonrisa  
Tea Rose  
Three Oaks

## PINK BUD PINKS

Afar  
Bonny  
Cherie  
Courtier  
Fantasy  
Flora Zenor  
Heritage  
Hit Parade  
Melody Lane  
New Horizon  
Overture  
Pink Cameo  
Pink Talcum  
Premier Peach  
Radiation  
Salmonette  
Twilight Sky

## LAVENDER PINK & LAVENDER

Chansonette  
Chantilly  
Dog Rose  
Ethelwyn Dubuar  
Harriet Thoreau  
Imperial Blush  
Kearsarge  
Lilac Lane  
Morning Melody  
Permanent Wave  
Pink Opal  
Platinum Beauty  
Riding High  
Tishomingo

## ORCHID & MAUVE

Anne Marie Cayeux  
Hiwassee  
Illusion  
Lavender Mist  
K. V. Ayres  
Modiste  
Mother's Day  
Orchid Lady  
Ormohr  
Ozone  
Persia  
Pres. Pilkington  
Sonatine  
Violet Crown  
Violet Symphony  
Vista Veronica

## PALE BLUE

And Thou  
Anitra  
Azure Skies  
Blue Crown  
Gallant Lady

Gloriole  
Helen McGregor  
Icy Blue  
Pale Dawn  
St. Regis

## LIGHT BLUE

Alicia  
Bandmaster  
Blue Monarch  
Blue Triumph  
Cahokia  
Castalia  
Cloud Castle  
Distance  
El Capitan  
Exclusive  
Great Lakes  
Lake Breeze  
Mountain Sky  
Narada  
Paulette  
Shining Waters  
Sioux City  
Sparkling Blue  
Sylvia Murray

## MEDIUM BLUE

Aline  
Blue Frills  
Blue Rhythm  
Blue Spire  
Blue Valley  
Blue Zenith  
Campanula  
Chicory Blue  
Chivalry  
Cornflower  
Danube Wave  
Gallantry  
Keene Valley  
Lake George  
Lake Huron  
Lake Shannon  
Missouri  
Narain  
Nicolle Lassailly  
Osceola  
Pierre Menard  
San Diego  
Seadeep  
Sierra Blue  
Sky Ranger  
The Admiral

## VIOLET & PURPLE

Ace of Spades  
Black Banner  
Black Forest  
Black Wings  
Blue Glow  
Blue Peter  
Blue Velvet  
Bonsor  
Brunhilde  
Cameroun  
Charlotte Millet  
Destiny  
Down East  
Ebony Echo  
Ebony Queen  
Edna Hicks  
Envoy  
Grand Canyon  
Gulf Stream  
Indiana Night  
Indian Hills

Lord Dongan  
Martie Everest  
Master Charles  
Mata Hari  
Meldoric  
Missouri Night  
Mrs. J. L. Gibson  
Mrs. Valery West  
Nightfall  
Ormaco  
Purple Giant  
Purple Moor  
Royal Command  
Sable  
Sea Lark  
Storm King  
Tenaya  
The Bishop  
The Black Douglas  
Thelma Jean  
The Raven  
Vagabond Prince  
Vatican Purple  
Velvet Dusk  
West Point  
Wm. A. Setchell  
Winneshiek

## BLUE & YELLOW BLENDS

Alza Hola  
Cours La Reine  
Evolution  
Golden Symphony  
Lady Mohr  
Lavender & Gold Lace  
Rainbow Room  
Serenite  
Sorrente  
Tower of Jewels  
Valiant

## AMOENA & NEGLECTA

Amigo  
Anne Newhard  
Bold Venture  
Choir Boy  
Extravaganza  
Helen Collingwood  
Lothario  
Louise Blake  
Marquita  
Mme. M. Lassailly  
Mt. McKinley  
Shah Jehan  
Sir Michael  
Three Cheers  
Three Sisters  
Wabash

## VARIEGATA

Aztec Indian  
Black & Gold  
Bombay  
City of Lincoln  
Cock Robin  
Crown Prince  
Deseret  
Fall Days  
Frank Adams  
Gypsy  
Khorasan  
Mary Vernon  
Mexico  
Persian Prince  
Picador  
Portland  
Rajah Brooke  
Reddengold  
Red Torch  
Robinwood  
Staten Island  
The Orlole



## Love Letters

*There is a destiny that makes us brothers,  
None goes his way, alone.  
All that we put into the lives of others,  
Comes back again into our own.*

*Edwin Markham,*

Our customers are wonderful! We do so appreciate their heart-warming letters and notes. The few excerpts that we reproduce below are not for the purpose of bragging, (oh, maybe just a little) but because of their interest to prospective customers who do not know us or our product. From a lady in Missouri came the verse by poet Edwin Markham, quoted at the top. We're sure the sentiment expressed is the one she lives by. Wouldn't it be grand if we could all live by it?

"Enclosed is my order and here is my 'love letter'—'cause I love to write it. I ordered a collection of 16 iris from you last year. The plants were grand. They were so husky and clean-looking, they looked good enough to eat. But we didn't eat them. I planted them instead and they didn't have too favorable growing conditions, it was so dry. When spring came, I had some misgivings but I watched eagerly for flower stalks. (I'm a garden-watcher.) I was so thrilled when they started to show that when the first blooms began to appear I practically lived in the garden. They were all so lovely! Out of the 16, fourteen bloomed, FAIR ELAINE and GOLDEN MAJESTY being the 'pikers.' I also bought a collection of four from a west coast dealer but the plants you sent were the nicest and the results were quickest of any I've ever had, therefore I'm sending you a large order. I have a large garden with many lovely flowers. I started it when sorrow over losing a beloved son drove me out of the house. To me, it's a Memory Garden, 'tho there's nothing to indicate this to the passer-by. He loved the beautiful things in life. Everything I plant, every flower I cut, reminds me of him. REMEMBRANCE is to be planted for him, also LA GOLONDRINA—it was his favorite melody. He was a pilot, a civilian instructor of army pilots, in the basic phase. He was killed in far-off Texas, a short time before the war broke out. He was 25. Today is his birthday and I'm sending my order as part of my plan. I would not have told you all this, had it not been for the lovely things you've written in your catalog about the boys in service. I pray your own son came back to you. We had two other sons in the service who were spared. If you've read to the end of this long letter—thank you for your patience. Thank you also for the grand iris. I'll be looking forward to planting my new ones."

PENNSYLVANIA

"It seems silly for me, here in the heart of the Willamette Valley iris kingdom, to order from you, half a continent away, but my friend, Mrs. B-----, keeps telling me I **must** get some of your lovely rhizomes. As I have a four-foot border around a whole ¼ acre of yard, it needs lots of plants to fill it and iris are one of the few things that gophers don't eat. Then their foliage makes a nice background for annuals the rest of the year, so I'm looking forward to a great deal of pleasure from this collection."

OREGON

"This note of appreciation is certainly long overdue, but inasmuch as it comes from one who was quite a skeptic concerning iris and who just had to be shown, I trust you will forgive its lateness. My order of last summer arrived just 2½ days after you shipped them and were gotten into the garden with no wasted time and have grown very well since. Most of them are going to bloom. Out of some seventy new iris planted last summer, I have lost only one and that was not purchased from you. I am looking forward to seeing MASKED BALL and PINK TALCUM, they both sound like splendid acquisitions. The daylilies have all done well and SWEETBRIAR seems to be quite a strong grower. I'm about to encounter a difficulty in my gardening. I'm going to have to remove plants to find room for these I'm ordering, but I cannot resist trying these new ones. Thanks again for your kindness."

OHIO

"Here is my order for more of your lovely iris. I ordered eight last fall, and a collection of day-lilies. The iris were wonderful this spring and nearly all of the lilies are blooming now. Some plants have two bloom stalks. They were fine large plants. I've nearly worn the catalog out choosing the iris. Wish I could order twice as many!"

NEBRASKA

"We are much pleased with the iris we bought from you last year. Every one bloomed and they were gorgeous!"

CALIFORNIA

"I borrowed your catalog from a friend. I saw her iris in bloom and they were gorgeous! Bloomed the first year. I sent to another dealer and none of mine bloomed, so was very disappointed. So I am ordering from you as she said you send out such wonderful rhizomes."

MINNESOTA

"I have been getting plants from you all for some years and I want to tell you what nice plants I received each time. It is a pleasure to deal with such nice people knowing that one will always get nice stock and healthy plants."

VIRGINIA

"I don't know you, but I sure know your iris. I went to an iris garden in our city this past spring and saw many of your beautiful iris in bloom. It was a good recommendation of what your iris are like. I don't remember the man's name, but he lived on Avon St. Everyone (myself included) wanted to know where he bought his plants. He was most proud to tell them—"from Edenwald." He even went to the trouble to give your exact address. I thought you might like to know this."

ILLINOIS

"Iris and daylilies you sent last year bloomed beautifully. Hope to be able to order some of the more expensive varieties later. I now have a bad case of iris fever. The rhizomes you sent last week are fine clean healthy looking and never even wilted in this heat."

WEST VIRGINIA

"Every year your plants are super, and our garden was beautiful. I visited a local iris garden and was prepared to be very envious, but while I admit it was a fine display, and larger than our garden, I came home, (conceited me) and fairly gloated over our miniature (Edenwald) garden. Others said the same. We are so proud of them all and very happy to tell where they came from. Congratulations on your new introductions! Won't take up more of your time but you seem so friendly and so very fair in your descriptions, that it is a pleasure to chat with you for a moment. With ever increasing praise for Edenwald Gardens, Very Sincerely,

VERMONT

"Iris rhizomes arrived today—grandest large ones I received among all the 500 I planted this year. Should have bought all of them from you, if that's the kind you sell!"

KANSAS

"Have enjoyed my iris from you so much. You send the finest plants I have ever received. My children in Indiana and Mississippi, to whom I sent iris from you last year, were thrilled over their beautiful flowers. I'm enclosing, again, orders to them. I remember their wedding anniversaries this way."

IOWA



"I have gotten plants from you for several years and they have been the healthiest, most superb roots I have ever seen. The first year I couldn't believe my eyes, and really, the novelty of seeing such wonderful iris has never worn off in succeeding years. I have never ordered a collection before but feel sure **any** iris from you is better than other firm's."

GEORGIA

"The plants I have received from you in the past have been splendid, and I have recommended your plants to a number of people. Got one new customer for you last year and one this year. Your catalog is nice. I especially like your plan of listing the iris on the various lists of "100 Best," and your frankness about some of their faults."

MISSOURI

"We certainly enjoyed seeing your iris. You have all of the best and while it's impossible to see them all in bloom on the same day, we did see more iris than ever before. The following morning we drove back to see the commercial planting and want to tell you we have never before seen anything like it! I wouldn't have believed that there was that much stock of even one variety in the whole U. S. Such long rows were quite a sight and I hope our pictures of it turn out good. I was interested in your seedlings, especially the red one. (Inspiration x Garden Glory). Three or four other reds were very good, but this one had everything. If this seedling should be released later, put me down for one. It was a beautiful shade of red, clear and strong, no veining, smooth texture and a self."

WISCONSIN

"With regard to our climate, I have been trying to obtain exact data as regards rainfall, temperature, humidity, etc., but have not been successful to date. Suffice to say, the ground never freezes, and we have only one or two surface frosts which are only severe enough to put one-eighth of an inch of ice on my bird-bath during the night. It never snows. My garden is at 7800 ft, altitude, the soil is black, somewhat gritty, and PH readings are just on the alkaline side of neutral. Naturally, I have mixed in some good top-soil, and manure in areas previously devoted to other plants. Plus bone meal each time I remove iris. As for rainfall, we have little or none from November through April, light showers in May and June, then the rainy season usually begins in earnest, with relatively heavy showers every afternoon and evening. But the soil dries out on the surface between showers due to the hot sun. In the dry season, according to a humidity guide in my son's room, the humidity ranges from 10 to 20, while during the rains it sometimes reaches 50, but seldom higher. This is rather sketchy, but will give you the general idea. Right now I have blooms on CHINA MAID, GOLDEN MAJESTY, WINTER CARNIVAL, ICY BLUE, BRONZINO, INDIAN CHIEF, THE ADMIRAL, and WHITE GODDESS. NIGHTFALL, GLORIOLE and SNOQUALMIE have bloomed during the month. (written July 30th). None of these plants have been in the ground more than 15 months and three of them were transplanted just over two months ago. Apparently they do not have a rest period here, and grow so fast that anything less than 18" apart results in crowding in a year. My only difficulty, to date, is two small children and two cocker spaniels, and between them my iris sometimes take a beating and have to have wire protection. I wrote the American Iris Society, requesting the names and addresses of other members here in Mexico, and to my surprise, it appears that I am the only one. I had hoped to find other enthusiasts with whom I could exchange plants, et cetera. My knowledge about iris is, naturally, limited, as I have been playing with them only since we bought our house here a few years ago. Altho my garden space is limited I now have over 90 plants, but the rest of the garden is for children and dogs. However, the Company, of which I am General Manager, may erect its own building in the not too distant future, and then I will have ample space for iris and hope to try hybridizing them. Thanks once again for your kind cooperation."

MEXICO CITY

"I am very pleased with the daylilies I bought last year. They are beautiful and still blooming."

TEXAS

"The daylilies were planted the same day I received them. They were wonderful plants and so vigorous, I'm sure they will all bloom next year. The iris from you, planted last year, bloomed every one and they were just beautiful—too pretty for words. Last but not least, I want to thank you for the extra iris, Shannopin. I am also a gladiolus grower of the amateur class—won seven ribbons at the Minn. Glad. Soc. State Show this summer. But I still think iris are the most beautiful."

MINNESOTA

"Just a note from a very satisfied customer. The iris I ordered from you last year were grand. Came thru our high dry climate in good condition this past winter. Would you be so kind as to add another name to your mailing list? I am helping a friend establish an iris garden and find your catalog and plants among the best."

COLORADO

"Last year at the Iris Show at Horticultural Hall in Boston, I met several people who send to you for their iris. I gave your name to all the people who asked me the best place to send for the varieties on exhibit, because the ones I received from you were so lovely and such healthy roots. I only wish I had more room. Last fall I threw out some of the old common ones to make room for new acquisitions."

MASSACHUSETTS

"I ordered some iris and (separately, at a later date) some daylilies from you this fall. All arrived in fine shape and were promptly planted. One of the iris varieties I ordered was the dwarf JEAN SIRET (three plants) and planted them Sept. 22nd—hardly over a month ago. This morning I found one of them in bloom! Is this not slightly amazing? At any rate it certainly attests the accuracy of your catalogue description. "Reliable fall bloomer" indeed. It also is evidence of the health and vigor of your plants. Perhaps this is not an unusual occurrence, but it so astonished me that I thought I would tell you about it."

WASHINGTON, D. C.

"I have bought daylily plants from N. Y., Mich., Ohio and Spring, Texas. Your plants are much superior to any of them. I'm going to discard other plants to make room for the enclosed order. (P.S.) My neighbors echoed my views."

PENNSYLVANIA

"Last year I bought 18 iris from you and all bloomed except GARDEN MAGIC and SALAR, and were very beautiful. Your rhizomes are wonderful! Several friends viewed my garden and wanted me to sell them rhizomes. Will you please quote me prices on dozen lots as I expect there will be more orders next year and I would rather do business with you than any of the other concerns (and there have been several) because your rhizomes have been so much better."

NEW YORK

"The iris you sent me are indescribably beautiful. They have all bloomed except SNOQUALMIE. (which may be due to the fact that it is planted in a low spot). I am very much thrilled over your introductions for 1949. Altho at the present they are way beyond my reach. I know that some day I shall have at least one if not all three. It seems superfluous to say that your stock and prices are what we always hopefully expect but seldom get. I never miss a chance to recommend Edenwald Gardens."

CONNECTICUT

"I have heard so many very favorable comments on your plants, that I am sending this order with high hopes. If your iris are all that they are reported to be, you may certainly count on further orders from me."

TENNESSEE

"The order I got last fall was simply wonderful. Every one bloomed except STELLA POLARIS, FRANK ADAMS and ARETHUSA. And I lost only one (STARDOM) out of the 15 I ordered. Thank you for the lovely roots."

SOUTH DAKOTA



"I am ordering more iris and want to say a word of appreciation for the nine healthy rhizomes received last year and thank you so much for the 'extra.' It bloomed and was beautiful and so did all the nine. Thanks again and all success to you."  
UTAH

"We really enjoy the iris you send. They are in excellent condition on arrival and are such nice size rhizomes. Each year your catalog becomes more dog-eared than the last and we keep looking forward to the next."  
CALIFORNIA

"This is my third order and I think that speaks for itself. I always recommend Edenwald Gardens when friends admire my iris garden."  
MISSOURI

"The iris I ordered from you last fall were gorgeous this spring. I wish I had time to really tell you about it."  
NORTH CAROLINA

"The iris which I received from you last year were just grand! They have all had blossoms and I have had so many inquiries to know where I got such wonderful colors. No doubt you will hear and get orders from my neighbors and friends as my catalog is nearly worn out from being passed around."  
MICHIGAN

"Dear 'Folks':—Your friendly little catalog makes me feel that you are very nice folks and I couldn't address you as 'Sirs.' My daughter, Mrs. DeC. ordered iris from you two years ago and they have done wonderfully well with no care at all last year because of illness. We have sent for many plants but I have never seen such clean, healthy bulbs as you send. After many disappointments it was surely a pleasure to find a company that lives up to its word."  
OHIO

"I have visited your gardens twice; last year during the iris season, and this year during the daylily season. (I was a neighbor of Tell Muhlestein's, in Utah—remember?) The iris I bought from you last year were the sensation of the neighborhood. I hope my daylilies will give as much pleasure next year. If they do, I guess they will compensate for the very severe strain on my schoolteacher's pocketbook. I got awfully hot and tired and sunburned on July 3rd, but anytime I close my eyes, I can enjoy, again, the sight of your lovely daylilies."  
ILLINOIS

"Each of the seven dwarf irises I bought from you last fall, came up and also bloomed this spring. I'm very much satisfied."  
NEW YORK

"Your plants were so big—grew ahead of some from the West Coast. All bloomed. Thanks for the big extra. WM. A. SETCHELL is huge!"  
VIRGINIA

"Also, I want you to know how beautiful my iris have been, that I ordered from your nursery. In fact the only rhizomes I ever received from any place that bloomed the first year after planting. They have more than come up to my expectations—blossoms the largest I've ever seen. Thanking you for the nice plants."  
ARKANSAS

"You truly practice 'the plants we send are those we'd like to get, if we were you' as you said in your verse. I have never had **finer plants**. It has been a pleasure to put them out, now it will be hard to patiently wait for spring and iris time, for they are my favorite flowers. The inexpensive plants were just as fine as the expensive ones. I am very glad I bought a number of lots of three, for a quick clump effect. They were a bargain without a single extra but I do want to thank you for all that you included in this order."  
ILLINOIS

"My first order from you last year has been most satisfactory. The rhizomes were large and healthy and 6 out of 7 bloomed and were lovely. I am very pleased with them and so now am enclosing another order and I know I shall be very pleased with these also."  
MASSACHUSETTS

"Was most happy with the dwarfs I received from you last year. All bloomed except Tiny Tony, I think he was so busy multiplying he didn't have time to bloom! These were my first dwarfs, but they surely won't be my last."  
ARIZONA

"The iris I got from you last year all bloomed and the daylilies all have or will. I am much pleased."  
MICHIGAN

"My little garden is filled to the brim with your 'Beauties,' ordered from time to time. You will be pleased to learn that my iris garden is considered 'most beautiful in City' and all are from Edenwald. There might be others as wonderful, but I **do not think so.**"  
OHIO



The above map shows our central location which enables us to supply you with freshly-dug plants which will find themselves "at home" in your garden and will not need an extra year for acclimatization before blooming. The circle is drawn on a 600 mile radius, hardly more than a day's drive.



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# Special Offer To Our New Customers

## \$1 IRIS FREE WITH YOUR FIRST ORDER

We want you for our customer! If you will send us that first order we are confident that you will buy from us regularly, and tell your friends about us too.

So, if you have not tried Edenwald plants, send us at least a \$3 order, **not including Collections**, and we will add, as a free extra, one of the following \$1 irises:—Berkeley Gold, Caroline Burr, Copper Rose, Hoosier Sunrise, Remembrance, Sable, The Admiral or Three Sisters.

Should your order consist of daylilies, you may, if you prefer, elect to receive instead, Autumn Red, Sonny or Zouave.

Please state your preference and remember—your order must be not less than \$3 not counting Collections. The latter are too heavily discounted to qualify for any additional premium.

If your first order amounts to \$10 or more, you may select two of the gift plants listed above.

## Special Offer to Former Customers

It has been our custom to include free extra plants with orders both as a token of our appreciation and to make sure the customer receives full and generous value. If the variety so included is already among the customer's collection the gift is pointless and disappointing to both customer and ourselves. For this reason we prefer to privilege the customer to select extras of his own choice in the amount of ten percent of the order, (ten cents for each dollar ordered) collections excluded. New customers may avail themselves of this offer instead of the free iris offered above, if preferred, but not both.

## Please Read Before Ordering

**SHIPPING COST**—If your order is less than \$2.00 add \$0.25 for packing and mailing. Orders of \$2.00 or more are shipped postpaid in the United States.

**SHIPPING SEASON**—No shipments in the Spring. We begin shipping iris the last week in June and continue until Nov. 1st. Daylilies are shipped in late August, September and October. If iris and daylilies are ordered together they will be shipped during the daylily season. If iris are desired earlier each shipment must total at least \$2.00 or extra shipping charges will be incurred.

**TIME OF SHIPMENT**—Orders are shipped in the same sequence as received unless you request later shipment when ordering.

**TERMS**—Remittance must accompany order. Money order or personal check are acceptable. Currency or stamps at customer's risk. Stamps of 3c denomination or less, are acceptable for small orders. Do not send stamps of larger denomination. No C. O. D. shipments.

**ORDER EARLY**—Some varieties are always sold out before the end of the season. Orders are filled in the sequence received and you may avoid disappointment by ordering early.

**SUBSTITUTIONS**—We do not substitute without permission but do appreciate your consent to do so, if necessary. Otherwise we will refund for varieties sold out. If you would rather receive alternate selections than a refund, please tell us.

**GUARANTEE**—We guarantee to ship you healthy, thrifty plants, freshly dug, disease and pest free and true to name. We do not assume responsibility for their cultural success after they leave our hands.

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*Benediction*